

## MR. LAWFORD DIES

Mr. Thomas J. Lawford, 69 years of age, farmer living on the Elba-New Brockton highway, died on Aug. 17 at six o'clock p. m. One son, George B. Lawford, survives. The body was carried to Florida for burial on August 18 at two o'clock. Rev. Walter Moody conducted funeral services at the Assembly of God Church. Bonneau-Jeter had charge of funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Ada Shealy has returned to Elba from a Dothan hospital, where she received treatment for two weeks. Her many friends trust that she may have a speedy recovery.

## HENRY C. GOODSON IS AIRCRAFT MECHANIC

Seymour Johnson Field, N. C.—Pfc. Henry C. Goodson, son of Mr. Charles C. Goodson, Rt. 1, New Brockton, Ala., has been graduated from the aircraft mechanics school here in the Army Air Forces Training Command.

At this North Carolina station in the AAFTC he spent four months learning and practicing all types of aircraft maintenance and repair. After attending Elba High School, Pfc. Goodson was engaged in farming at New Brockton, Ala. He entered the service on October 25, 1942.

## SCHOOL CHILDREN TO BE SAFEGUARDED

As soon as school starts, the immunization of school children against typhoid, smallpox and diphtheria will begin. Dr. G. L. Weidner, Coffee County Health Officer, stated Monday. The school opening date is set for September 13.

The immunization of students will receive the immediate attention of health authorities this year in order that students volunteering to harvest crops, particularly town children with no rural experience, may have this service.

Plans are made for their protection against polluted drinking water, unsafe transportation vehicles and proximity to machinery which might endanger the young volunteers.

The annual summer clinics held at various schools throughout the county have been completed with effective results, according to the health officer.

Miss Susan Hughes visited Elba this week in the interest of the American Red Cross.

Miss Zedie Rowe has returned from a pleasant visit to her sister, Miss Elizabeth Rowe, in Montgomery.

Rent Notes, 2 for 5c, at The Clipper office.

## CLARK &amp; FOLSOM, Agents

Representing  
The New Brunswick Fire Insurance Company of New Brunswick, N. J.  
A Stock Company  
Manufacturers Casualty Insurance Company of Philadelphia, Pa.  
A Stock Company

We write Fire and Tornado Insurance. All kinds of Automobile and Truck coverage. Also Surety Bonds.

If we can be of any service to you, please call on us.  
Our Rates are governed by the State of Alabama Bureau of Insurance, Montgomery, Ala.

## Work Clothes For Men of Action

Big Brother! Durable! Money-worth! Rockford! are names that stand for quality and savings to the man-on-the-job.

## CAPESEKIN JACKET

With Slide Fastener Front Closing! \$12.95

Rugged comfort against icy blasts yet very light on your shoulders! Handsome drupe style jacket with comfortable yoke and belted back. Rayon lined. Aviation tan, 34-46.

## WHIPCORD PANTS

Sanforized Battle-Axe Fabric! \$1.95

Extra-tough, extra-heavy laundry-proof fabric used in these expertly tailored, full cut work pants. Adjustable waistbands, 5 pockets, and wide cuffs. Sizes 29 to 44.

Boys Rugged Jackets for work and school. Of part wool fabric with full leather trim. Sizes 6 to 18. \$4.95

Leather, Fabric Jacket  
Sizes 34 to 46  
\$5.95

Part wool fabric, leather trim. Brown, green or teal blue.

BB Work Socks  
An Old Favorite!  
15c pr.

Sturdy two pound weight socks, two color mixed body. Sizes 10-12.

Sanforized Work Shirts  
Heavy 3.50 Wt!  
89c

Choose either blue chambray or gray cover. 14 1/2 to 17 1/2.

Sanforized Covert Pants  
Won't Shrink!  
\$1.59

Dependable quality for both factory and farm work. 29-44.

Leather Palm Gloves  
2-Fisted Brand  
49c pr.

Rugged reinforced palm, canton flannel back. Medium size.

Durabilt Work Shoes  
Leather Uppers  
\$2.45 pr.

The double husky cord soles are built just like tires.

**FEDERATED STORES**  
ELBA, ALABAMA

## Classified Advertising

If you want to buy, sell, swap, rent or locate lost property, try an ad in this column.

**LOST**—One Canvas for pick-up truck on Troy highway between Hardy's Store and Elba. Please return to Joe P. Martin, Elba, Ala.

**LOST**—Large white and brown spotted dog; been gone since July 7; will pay \$10 reward for return to G. W. Leddon, Rt. 5, Elba, Ala.

**FOR SALE**—Bentham Peanut Picker; needs repair but has good chains and sprockets. Marvin Elmore, Elba, Route 1. S2-9

**NOTICE**—I can get Tires, all sizes for cars and trucks. Bring your certificates to me. Can give two or three-day service. I. N. Heath, Woco-Pep Station, Elba. S2-9

**LOST OR STRAYED**—Near Damascus School, one black and white horse mule, smooth mouth, with grey hair from knees down. If found, please notify H. O. Dyess, or phone W. T. Mock. Will pay for call. H. O. Dyess, Elba, Ala., Rt. 3.

**PERMANENT WAVE 59c**—Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Priced by thousands, including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. Whitman Drug Company. A26-028

**ATTENTION, PROPERTY OWNERS**—We have been allotted two cartons of roofing material to be applied in Coffee County during the months of August and September. This roofing is the very best re-roofing material obtainable in America. It is for homes, barns and tenant houses. We furnish all materials and labor necessary to complete the job. We are licensed applicators for the complete roofing of the Logan-Long Company. We have sold and applied more than twelve hundred roofs in South Alabama in the past four years. Write us a letter or postcard if you home, barn or tenant houses need re-roofing and we will call on you and give you an estimate. Give us exact location of your property and kind of building, and our representative will call on you. The government wants you to keep your property in repair and we will arrange liberal F. H. A. loans for you if needed. Take care of the homes our boys are fighting for.

Alabama Roofing and Supply Company,  
P. O. Box 314,  
Troy, Alabama.  
Phones 845 and 851. S9.

Forrest Talbot recently received a letter from his son, Kenneth, saying that he likes his home in Grand Rapids, Mich. He said he had a good job and would enjoy having his Elba friends write to him at his new address: 1005 Horton Ave., S. E., Grand Rapids, Mich. He said he likes the delightful cool nights and mornings they have been having—it was actually frosty one August morning. We wonder how Kenny will like the Michigan weather along about next January.

Miss Edna Stewart has returned to St. Louis, Mo., to finish her last year of senior high school, after spending several weeks with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stewart, of New Brockton.

Miss Totsye Rhodes returned to Dothan the first of last week after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Rhodes. She was accompanied by Miss Jean Rhodes, who visited in Dothan for a few days.

John Frank Lindsey, who is attending A. P. I. Auburn, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lindsey, during the week-end.

Mrs. J. W. Kendrick, Mrs. J. M. Rowe, Mrs. Dove Johnson, Mrs. Bicker Ham, and Miss Zedie Rowe have returned from summer school at State Teachers College, Troy.

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**Egg Prices Going Up!**  
**Do You Want More Eggs?**  
IF SO,  
FEED THE BEST NUTRITIONALLY BALANCED EGG MASH YOU CAN BUY  
For more eggs per hen is the efficient, economical way to extra egg production.

SECURITY Egg Mash is nutritionally balanced to do this job. They are made up of the right kind of nutrients to balance the ration for maximum egg production, body maintenance and health when fed as recommended.

## Feed your hens SECURITY and keep 'em laying

When egg prices are high you can't afford not to feed a high quality feed. You will find cheaper feeds on the market, but do you get as many eggs per dollar's worth of feed? RESULTS are what count and our customers tell us that Security Feeds give the desired results.

We invite you to give SECURITY a trial—we know you will be pleased. Try SECURITY for QUALITY!

Security Egg Mash is priced as low as \$3.80 per 100.

## Security Growing Mash Builds Profitable Pullets

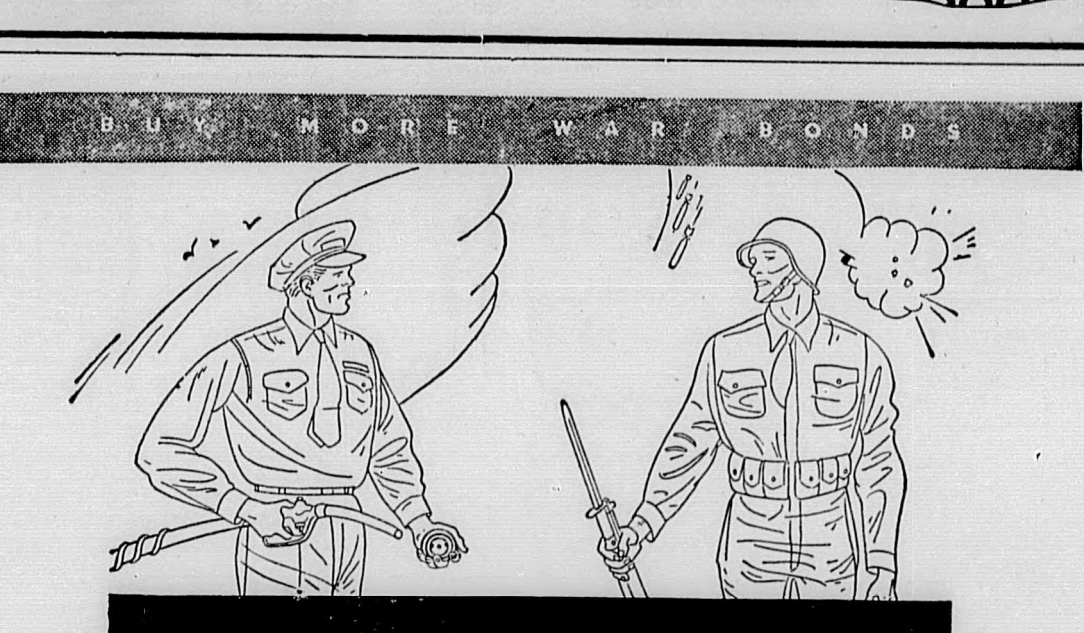
Feed Security Growing Mash until your pullets get into about a 20 per cent production, then switch to egg mash. There is no more important period in the life of a chicken than the developing period. Careful feeding and management are very important during this period.

## Dairy -- Dog -- Hog -- Horse -- Feeds

We carry a complete line of SECURITY Dairy, Dog, Hog and Horse feeds. We invite you to compare these feeds with other feeds being sold in our county. Remember if you are in the market for a high quality feed, we have it. Our policy is: Stick to SECURITY and you won't go wrong.

**HOG SUPPLEMENT**—We hope to have in a shipment of 40% Hog Supplement in the near future. Leave your order if you want some Hog Supplement as it will not last long, due to the limited amount we will be able to get.

**ELBA HATCHERY**  
FEED AND SEED STORE  
Phone 181 Elba, Alabama



**LOYALTY**

ON your vacation and business trips in the past—as well as at your neighborhood Service Station—you have been served often by loyal men in the Standard Oil uniform. They were loyal to you—they were loyal to us.

It was only natural that men in whom the quality of loyalty was inbred and cherished should respond in large numbers to the call of their country. Hundreds of these stanch and faithful men have exchanged their old Service uniforms for the new uniform of greater service to Uncle Sam.

Someday they will be coming back, their new job finished. You will find them still loyal to you when they return and change their uniforms again.

In the meantime other loyal men, who have been at their home posts, are upholding this service tradition under difficult and sometimes trying conditions. Loyalty is that personal trait in individuals which makes a Company great—and wins wars.

**STANDARD OIL COMPANY**  
INCORPORATED IN KENTUCKY

CARE FOR YOUR CAR — FOR YOUR COUNTRY

**Invasion Costs**  
**Up Your Payroll**  
**Savings today**

VOLUME 47

## Coffee's Quota In War Loan To Buy 1 Bomber, 5 Fighters

Coffee County's quota for the Third War Loan campaign has been set at \$685,000, according to the announcement of Ed Leigh McMillan, chairman of the War Finance Committee for Alabama. Converted into fighting material, this will mean one heavy bomber and five fighters plus \$10,000 for the purchase of high octane gasoline and bombs to "carry the Blitz to Berlin."

Surviving are two sisters: Mrs. Mattie Phillips and Mrs. Lizzie Phillips; seven brothers: Messrs. Henry, George, Nace, Simón, Aaron, Dan and Owen Parker, and many other relatives.

Funeral services were held at New Home Church Sunday afternoon with Elder Malone Meredith officiating. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery. Pallbearers were: Marvin, Oscar, Orell, Arthur, Connie and Neal Parker. Bonneau-Jeter had charge of funeral arrangements.

## War Bond Campaign Starts Here Today; Workers Are Listed

Chairman Dick Dorman, of the Third War Loan Campaign for Elba, announces that plans have been completed for a thorough canvass of the city this (Thursday) afternoon, when volunteer workers will give every person the opportunity of purchasing bonds to buy the bombers that will "Carry The Blitz To Berlin."

All workers will be supplied with application blanks and it is hoped that citizens will give a cheerful response. The following volunteers will work in the residential section of the city: Mesdames Sam Sawyer, Claude Dorsey, Sam Rowe, James Wise, K. M. Bentley, Dozier Roberts, J. W. Kendrick, W. Kay Farris, J. R. Mark, Charles Lunsford, Ice Blackmon and Miss Gladys Clark.

In the business district the workers will be: Mr. B. Bryan, Stokes Hale, Fleetwood Carnley, Shelby Morrow, Sam Sawyer, J. W. Kendrick, Jake Bonneau, James Wise, Wallace Belcer, Justin Cooke, Mayo Prescott, Price Ringo and Sam Rowe.

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## THE ELBA CLIPPER

ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1943

ALABAMA TAKE-OFF HIGH NOON SEPT. 9TH.

**THIRD WAR LOAN**  
**"Carry the BLITZ to BERLIN"**  
**\$108,000,000**  
**IN FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS**  
**Buy Your Share!**

THIRD WAR LOAN TAKE-OFF—September 9, at high noon, is the time for the Alabama "Take Off" in the Third War Loan. A statewide radio broadcast will tell all the counties of the state together on that day to launch one of the mightiest bond selling efforts in the history of the nation. Hundreds of bombers and fighters will be bought by Alabamians to "Carry The Attack" and "Carry The Blitz To Berlin."

Alabama takes-off at high noon, September 9, to buy a \$108,000,000 fleet of fighters and bombers to "Carry The Blitz To Berlin" as its part of the Third War Loan.

Each county in the state will buy a share of victory by investing in this great aerial fleet of planes that will "Carry The Attack" which is going on all over the world.

Thousands of canvassers, home-front Minute Men and Women, will meet in rallies and luncheons on "Take-Off" day to listen to a statewide radio broadcast which will originate in Montgomery and which will present Governor Channing

every store, every factory and every best.

"Alabama has one of the greatest financial tasks in its history in buying the \$108,000,000 in bonds necessary to make an air fleet of its own a reality," Mr. McMillan and Mr. Sanford point out in a joint statement.

"It will take every citizen's enthusiasm and sacrifice to achieve this quota. But Alabama has always done any job that was given it and we know that we will overachieve our part of the national \$108,000,000 Third War Loan."

"The War cannot be won until Berlin, the heart of the Axis, has suffered the full fury of the blitz. Hundreds of planes will be necessary. Now is the time for every citizen to buy his, or her, share in the victory."

MISS TAYLOR AND MR. JONES WED—The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Taylor, to Mr. Manuel Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones, took place at an evening ceremony on August 25, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wiley English, Minister J. C. Dixon, of the Elba Chapter of Christ, read the Church of Christ, read the services of Mrs. Anne Farrar, who will continue with the East Coffee County Chapter.

Mrs. Hutchison served the county most efficiently over a period of years as director of the Woman's Department of WPA and is well known throughout this section. Her office will be located for the present in the grand jury room of the Elba Courthouse and will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. every day. In emergency she can be reached by telephone—No. 177.

Sgt. Thos. L. DeVaughan, who graduated at the flexible gunnery school, Hurlingham Air Field, Texas, early in August, spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. DeVaughan, who live near Elba. He has gone to Pueblo, Colorado, for further army assignment.

Both the bride and groom attended and graduated from Elba High School and have a host of friends who will be interested in their marriage. Following a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Jones left for Virginia where he has an army assignment.

MISS NETTIE FLOURNOY LEFT Thursday for Thomaston, Ala., to resume her school work.

Mrs. Sam Byrd, of Cordele, Ga., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. English, for several days.

**BACK UP YOUR BOY**  
**FIGURE IT OUT YOURSELF**  
Increase your payroll savings to your family limit

NUMBER 13

## Schools Of County Will Open Monday; Elba Faculty Named

Public schools of Coffee County, including the Elba schools, will open the 1943-44 term on next Monday, September 13. The institute for teachers will be held in the Elba High School auditorium Saturday morning, beginning at 10 o'clock, with Superintendent A. C. Dunaway in charge.

All teachers of the county, both high and elementary, are expected to be present for the institute and an interesting program is being arranged. While there are yet vacancies in some faculties, it is stated that the shortage is not as acute as last year.

**Elba Faculty Named**  
Supt. J. C. Dixon announced a full faculty for Elba schools and that registration will begin Monday morning with the first chapel exercises on Tuesday morning at 9:45 o'clock. Here is the faculty for the year:

High School: Mrs. Roberta Childs, Foreign Language and English; Mrs. Kate Ham, Senior Mathematics; Mrs. Edmond Hudson, Commercial; Miss Eudora Farris, Social Science; Mrs. J. C. Dixon, Junior English; Mrs. May Prescott, Junior Mathematics and Social Science; Mrs. J. M. Rowe, Junior Social Science; Fleetwood Carnley, Senior Social Studies; Frank Bynum, Science and Athletics; E. P. Gieger, Vocational Agriculture; Mrs. Jack Moller (nee Nell Moates), Vocational Home Economics.

Elementary School: Mrs. Dan B. Nelson 1st grade; Mrs. Lamar Rainer, 1st grade; Mrs. Arnes T. Motley, of Mt. Pleasant, are the prize-winning team in demonstrating a c o t t a g e making and ways of serving it three meals a day. They will be present at the Montgomery meeting, also.

Winners in the district contest will participate in the contest for state champion.

**ZOAR MEMORIAL SING**  
There will be an all-day Sacred Harp sing at Zoar on the third Sunday in September, the 19th. Everybody is invited to come and bring dinner. Committee.

Lamar Vaughan visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vaughan, and sister, Miss Bernice, over the weekend. He returned to Panama City, Fla., Sunday, where he is stationed. He is taking advanced training in Diesel engine mechanics as a member of the Naval Air Service, and has visited numerous states and cities during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Meek (Exa Mae Kendrick) announce the birth of a daughter on Friday, Sept. 3, whom they have named Charlotte Velinda.

Levis Brooks left for Port St. Joe, Fla., last week where he will make his home.

Mrs. L. S. Rainer returned last week from a visit to Dothan where she was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. P. N. Spann.

**DORSEY SEZ:**  
NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY SEAT COVERS

Brighten up the inside of your car with a set of new Seat Covers. They are more comfortable in this warm weather, and also protect your upholstery against dirt and stains.

LOOK AFTER YOUR TIRES—We are official tire inspectors. Look after this important matter regularly. "A" book holders must have inspection every six months, "B" every four months, "C" every three months; Truck every two months or every 5000 miles.

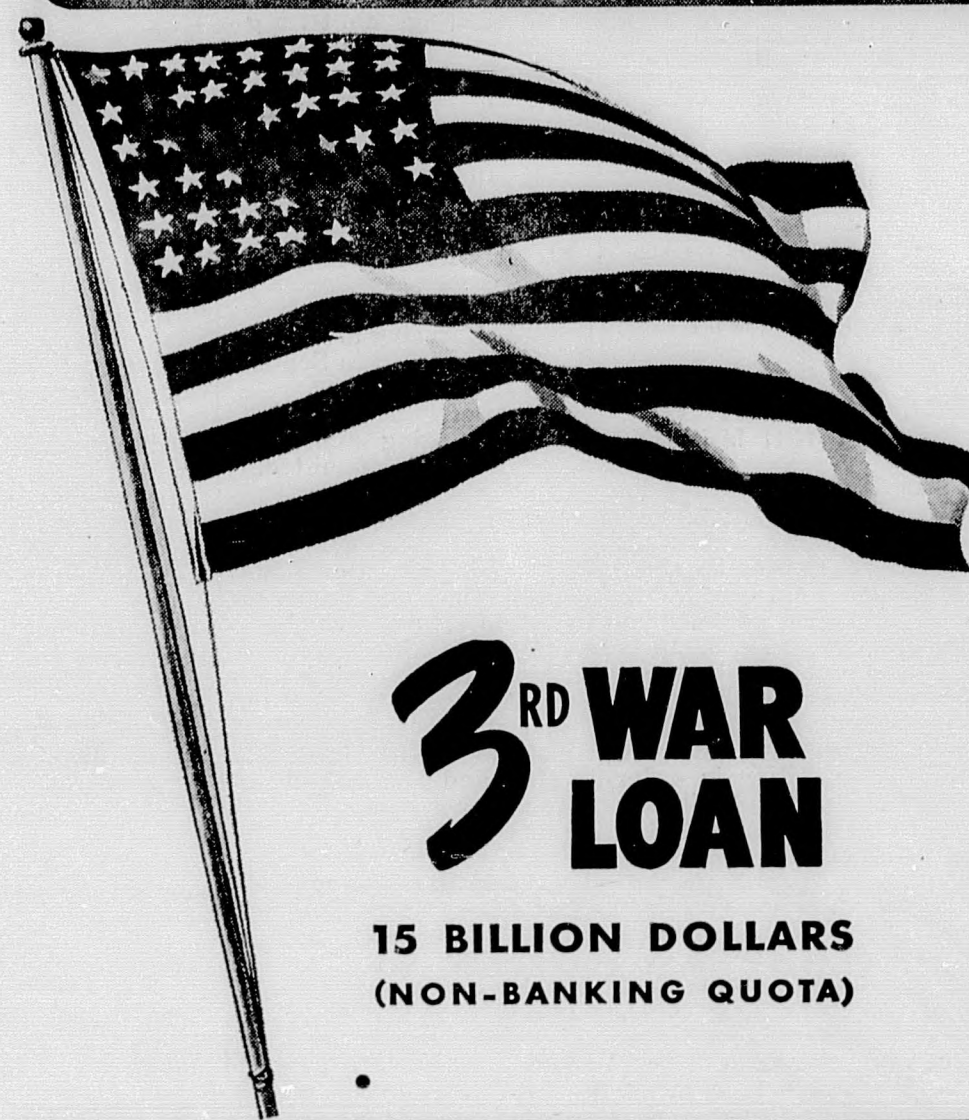
All kinds of Auto Accessories, Tires, Etc.  
Sales—CHEVROLET—Service

PHONE 146



# Thursday - September 9

## THE 3<sup>RD</sup> WAR LOAN DRIVE STARTS - TO BACK THE INVASION!



### 3<sup>RD</sup> WAR LOAN

15 BILLION DOLLARS  
(NON-BANKING QUOTA)

### What you will be asked to do—

MARK WELL the date—Thursday, September 9th. For on that day, you must answer to your country's call.

On that day, the 3rd War Loan Drive opens. To you—and to every other true American—a clarion call goes forth to rally to the support of our flag.

You will be asked to back our fighting forces to the very limit of your resources. You will be asked to go ALL-OUT FOR INVASION by investing in EXTRA War Bonds—more War Bonds than you perhaps think you can possibly afford.

To meet the national quota, every individual in the country who earns a wage or draws an income or has accumulated funds must invest, if he possibly can, in at least one EXTRA \$100 War Bond. Those who can, must invest more—thousands of dollars' worth more. Each and every one must do his full part.

Scrape up the money from every source you can... turn in all the loose cash you carry with you... dig out what you had tucked away "just in case." Go without pleasures, luxuries, even necessities this September. And give our fighting men the things they need to fight with—and win.

These men are throwing everything they have into this fierce invasion push. They are giving their blood, their lives. No one can put a price

on such courage, self-sacrifice, devotion. But you can show you're with them to the limit! You can say it with Bonds... EXTRA Bonds this month.

#### World's Safest Investments

For this 3rd War Loan, you will be offered your choice of various government securities. Choose the one that fits your requirements.

United States War Savings Bonds Series "E"; gives you back \$4 for every \$3 when the bond matures. Interest: 2 1/2% a year, compounded semiannually, if held to maturity. Denominations: \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Redemption: Anytime 60 days after issue date. Price: 75% of maturity value.

2 1/2% Treasury Bonds of 1964-1969; readily marketable, acceptable as bank collateral. Redeemable at par and accrued interest for the purpose of satisfying Federal estate taxes. Dated September 15, 1943; due December 15, 1969. Denominations: \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$100,000 and \$1,000,000. Price: par and accrued interest.

Other securities: Series "C" Savings Notes; 1/4% Certificates of Indebtedness; 2% Treasury Bonds of 1951-1953; United States Savings Bonds Series "F"; United States Savings Bonds Series "G".

### BACK THE ATTACK—WITH WAR BONDS

This Advertisement Is A Contribution To The War Effort and Third War Loan Campaign By

## Sawyer Candy Company and White Cleaners & Laundry

Elba, Alabama

### BEAUTY THAT IS NOT TRANSIENT

The inspired beauty of our funerals is not transient—It's a timeless memory—priceless and of enduring consolation. For in each of our services we leave no detail overlooked that is essential for perfection.

**BONNEAU-JETER FUNERAL DIRECTORS**  
ELBA AND BRANTLEY

### TRANSFERRED

Sgt. Clayton D. Taylor, son of Mrs. Amelia Nevils, of Elba, has been recently transferred from Harding Field, Baton Rouge, La., to the Army Air Field, Waycross, Georgia.

A few drops of vinegar added to water in which meat is cooking will help to soften the connective tissue of the meat and so reduce the time of cooking.

**TO CHECK MALARIA IN 7 DAYS take 666**  
Liquid for Malarial Symptoms.

### W. E. SNUGGS HEADS SELMA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Ozark, Ala., Sept. 2.—W. E. Snuggs, principal of the Dale County High School for the past fifteen years, has been elected by the Selma Board of Education to head the Selma City Schools, succeeding Walter M. Jackson, who resigned to enter military service.

J. O. Barnes, assistant principal, will succeed Mr. Snuggs as principal of the Dale County High School. President of the Alabama Education Association, Prof. Snuggs, before coming to Ozark, was for eight years principal of the Coffee County High School at Enterprise. He is at present Lieutenant-Governor of the Fourth Division Alabama Kiwanis, and is Commander of the Ninth District of the American Legion.

He is a graduate of A. P. L. Auburn, holds a Master's degree from Columbia University and has worked two summers on his Ph. D. degree at Columbia University.

### PLEASE SIGN NAME

If the person who sent in notice from Friendship, west of Danley's Cross Roads, about a coming event, will write us giving his or her name, we will be glad to publish the notice.

We have received a number of unsigned articles recently and must again remind all writers to sign their names so that we may know the author of news items or announcements. We cannot publish unsigned articles.

Many stoves "rust out" before they "wear out." Look for leaks, then remove rust with oil and steel wool.

*I've Been Thinkin'*



Listen to "REPORT TO THE NATION" On Columbia Network Radio Stations each Tuesday night 8:30 p.m.

I hear lots of people talking about the high cost of living. Once in a while you hear one say, "Well, everything else has gone up in price but there is still one thing you can use with the knowledge that you are not being charged any more for it than before the war. That's electricity." I sometimes wonder what it is that makes people complain when something goes wrong but keeps them from saying something nice to you when you give them good service at a low price.

Oh, yes, while I'm thinking of it, don't forget to buy War Stamps each week. By making a regular habit of that it is surprising how fast the dime, quarter and dollar stamps amount to enough with which to buy a War Bond. Those War Bonds are going to come in mighty handy after the war to buy those things you'll be wanting and needing then. They'll come in mighty handy, too, if you have a spell of sickness or some other hard luck.

Your friend,

*W. E. Snuggs*

Adv. Alabama Power Company

### SGT. SHARPLESS WON STRIPES THE HARD WAY

Sgt. and Mrs. Louie C. Sharpless, of Sebring, Fla., made a short visit to relatives and friends in Elba last week. They also made a business trip to Montgomery. Sgt. Sharpless said he won his stripes the "hard way," as he is in charge of the rationing base and in his words: "Believe me, things are really rationed at Sebring."

Sgt. Sharpless said that all of the Coffee County boys who left Elba with him to enter military service on February 1st, 1943, have been "scattered to the four winds," so far as he knows and he would like for any or all of them to communicate with him, so they can check up on each other. His address is: Sgt. Louie C. Sharpless, 705 Eucalyptus Street, Sebring, Fla.; or 76 Air Base Headquarters.

### PICKING DAMP COTTON MEANS LOWER QUALITY

Picking cotton early before the sun gets up high enough to dry dew or rain-drops may be easy on the picker but it's hard on the cotton. So states J. T. Beule, extension cotton improvement specialist, in advising that "moisture in picked cotton lowers its quality and deprives the armed forces of vital materials that must be made of high-quality cotton."

After it is picked the damp cotton goes into a pile. It gets covered by other cotton so that air cannot reach and dry it. It stays damp until it reaches the gin. The dampness interferes with the ginning process, so that when the cotton is baled and later sampled, the grade of that bale is lower than if the cotton had all been dry.

### CHARLES S. LEE, III MEETS DEATH AT SEA

Charles Stephen-Lee, 3rd, 23-year-old chief petty officer on a sub-chaser, was killed in action in the Pacific last week. His mother, Mrs. Blanche Lee, of Fairhope, was notified of his death by the Navy Department on Sept. 1. The young officer was born in Evergreen and was grandson of the late Capt. C. S. Lee, of Elba, of the Confederate Army. His father, Charles S. Lee, Jr., was a veteran of the Spanish-American War.

Surviving besides his mother are two sisters, Misses Arlene and Elizabeth Lee, both of Fairhope.

### GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

At 12:00 o'clock noon on October 10, 1943, the undersigned will act as the highest bidder in front of the Coffee County Courthouse.

Elba, Alabama, for cash, the following Town of Elba 6% Street Improvement bonds dated August 1st, 1927, each in the principal sum of \$1,000.00 each, said bonds respectively numbered as follows: 1, 2 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1929), 3, 4 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1929), 5, 6 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1931), 7, 8 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1931), 9, 10 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1932), 11 (forgoing bond due October 1st, 1933), 12, 13, 14 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1934), 15, 16 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1935), 17, 18 (forgoing bonds due October 1st, 1936), and 19 (forgoing bond due October 1st, 1937); also bond number 20 in principal sum of \$437.57 due October 1st, 1937, together with certain past due interest coupons attached thereto.

Balance of the principal indebtedness due under all of the above bonds being a total of \$4,646.50. THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DOTHAN, DOTHAN, ALABAMA.

### H. D. JONES QUALIFIES AS GUNNER'S MATE

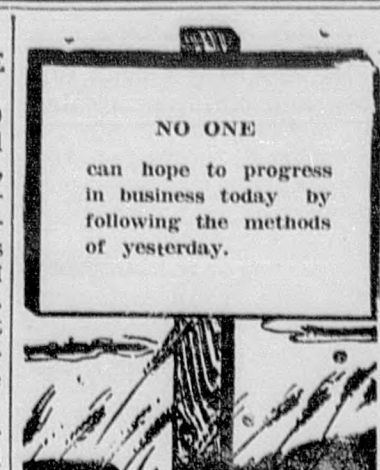
Great Lakes, Ill., Aug. 30.—Henry D. Jones, husband of Mrs. D. Jones, Elba, Ala., was graduated as a qualified "striker" from the Service School for Gunner's Mates at the U. S. Naval Training Station here today. He now awaits assignment to active duty aboard a Navy Man-of-war, or to some naval shore station.

The Bluejacket was selected for this advanced training on showing a special aptitude when given a series of tests in recruit training. He has received both comprehensive training courses and practical experience while in school.

After gaining more experience in his new Navy job, he will be eligible for advancement to a petty officer's rating.

Lamar (Babe) Bullard returned last week from a visit to Jerry Dickert at Perry, Fla. Jerry came to Elba with Lamar for a visit in the Bullard home.

Pfc. Macon Miller spent Monday here with Mrs. Miller and son.



**Hayes Funeral Home**  
Hearse and Ambulance Service  
Phones -- 21 and 149

Master Dick Jones left Monday for his home in Ft. Myers, Fla. He was accompanied home by his grandmother, Mrs. C. O. Miller, and Mrs. Lawson Spurlin and daughter, who will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Spurlin for several days.

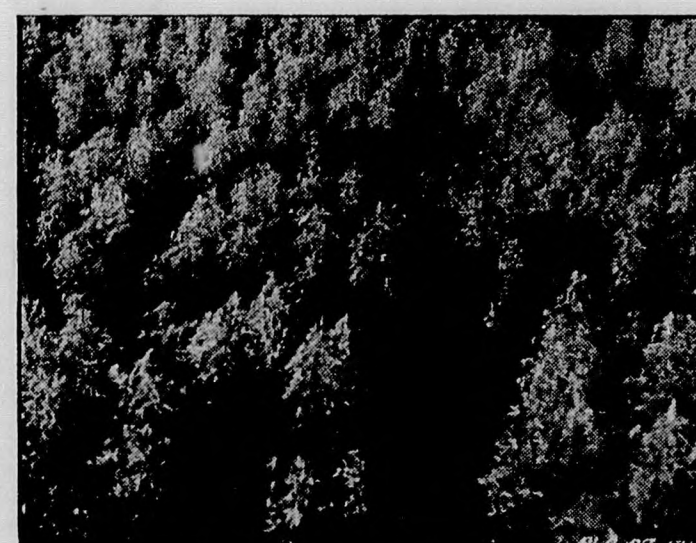
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AT HOME AND FOUNTAIN

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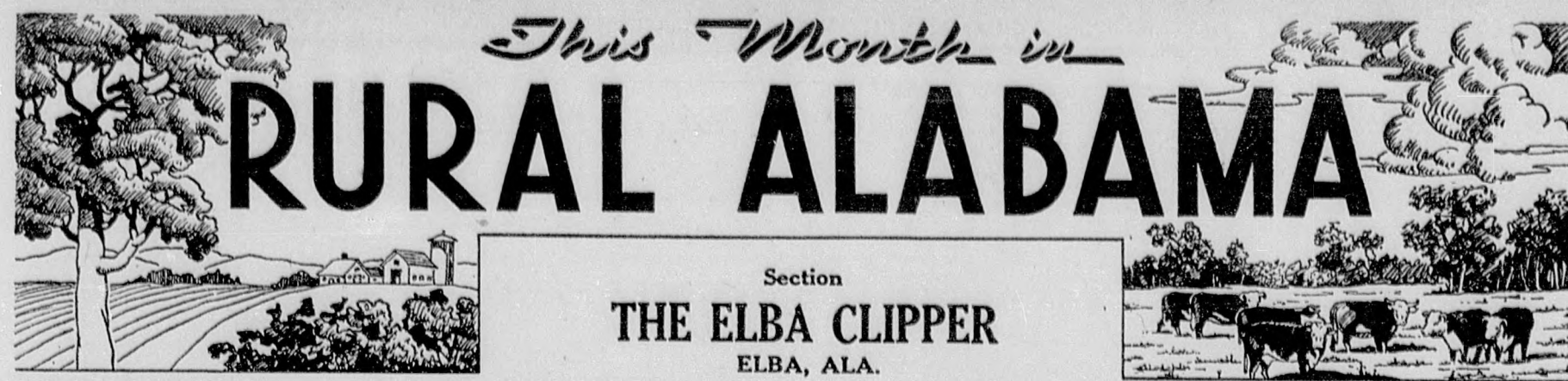
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By E. V. SMITH, Associate Botanist  
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**T**HERE is an urgent need for the collection of wild drug plants to go into medicines for use at home and by our soldiers and sailors. The war has cut off much of our foreign supply and there are not enough professional collectors to supply the demand.

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Many of the plants that are wanted are known to most people by their proper common names; others are known by a variety of common names which vary from farm to farm, or have no common names even in localities where they are abundant. Since there is considerable work involved in collecting drug plants and preparing them for market, no one should collect any plants unless he is absolutely sure of their identities. Such plants as Jimson weed and sassafras are so well-known that anyone can collect them without having them identified by botanists. Others like Jersey tea should be identified by a trained botanist before they are collected in quantity. Anyone wishing to collect drug plants may send specimens to the Botany Department, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, where they will be identified without charge. Plants to be identified should include flowers or fruits in addition to stems and leaves and should be wrapped in moist paper before they wilt and then wrapped for mailing.

## How Gather And Prepare Drug Plants For Sale

**L**EAVES and herbs should be gathered when they are green. Flowers should be gathered when the plants are in full (Continued on page 6)



## Pickers Being Enlisted

**P**EANUT pickers are being called upon to do a bigger job this year than ever before. With a big acreage of peanuts, about 850,000 acres, to be picked every peanut picker will have to do overtime work if the present peanut crop is harvested.

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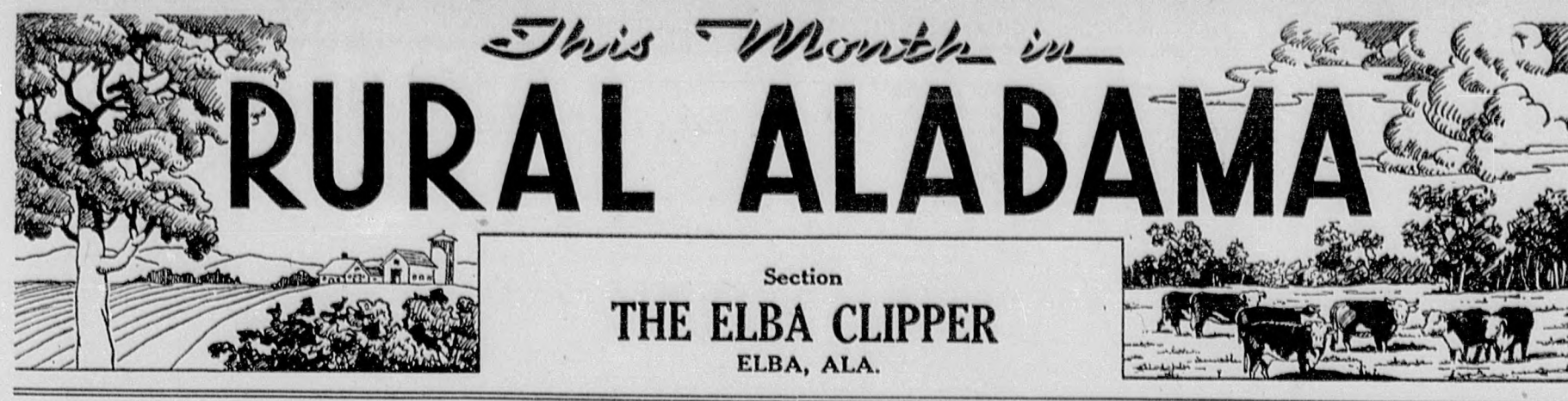
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## This Month in RURAL ALABAMA

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## Farm Boys And Girls Urged To Collect Wild Drug Plants

By E. V. SMITH, Associate Botanist  
Alabama Experiment Station

**T**HERE is an urgent need for the collection of wild drug plants to go into medicines for use at home and by our soldiers and sailors. The war has cut off much of our foreign supply and there are not enough professional collectors to supply the demand.

P. O. Davis, extension service director, Auburn, recently received an urgent request from one of the largest drug plant buyers in this country begging that Alabamians help in solving the drug plant shortage. It is believed that farm boys and girls can be of service in this undertaking and that by doing so, they can render a patriotic service and at the same time make a little money for themselves.

Many of the plants that are wanted are known to most people by their proper common names; others are known by a variety of common names which vary from farm to farm, or have no common names even in localities where they are abundant. Since there is considerable work involved in collecting drug plants and preparing them for market, no one should collect any plants unless he is absolutely sure of their identities. Such plants as Jimson weed and sassafras are so well-known that anyone can collect them without having them identified by botanists. Others like Jersey tea should be identified by a trained botanist before they are collected in quantity. Anyone wishing to collect drug plants may send specimens to the Botany Department, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, where they will be identified without charge. Plants to be identified should include flowers or fruits in addition to stems and leaves and should be wrapped in moist paper before they wilt and then wrapped for mailing.

**How Gather And Prepare Drug Plants For Sale**

**L**EAVES and herbs should be gathered when they are green. Flowers should be gathered when the plants are in full (Continued on page 6)



## Pickers Being Enlisted

**P**EANUT pickers are being called upon to do a bigger job this year than ever before. With a big acreage of peanuts, about 850,000 acres, to be picked every peanut picker will have to do overtime work if the present peanut crop is harvested.

Farmers, generally, are patriotic and are doing their part toward the war effort. By keeping the pickers busy they will be making another effort toward winning the war. It is patriotic to use pickers in doing custom work for neighbors.

## Farmers May Obtain Gas For Retail Delivery

**F**ARMERS in all but the Eastern shortage region have "A" cards good for 240 miles of driving a month. War Food officials explain that 150 of the 240 miles on "A" card are available for occupational driving, including delivering farm products at retail. If a farmer needs still more gasoline, he can get a supplemental ration that will provide up to 720 miles of occupational driving a month. If he wants to, he can use all of that 720 miles in delivering products to his customers in town.

## It's Patriotic To Dig Peanuts

**E**VERY pound of peanut oil in the present crop is needed for our fighting force, lend-lease and civilian use. Too, all the peanut meal is needed for livestock feed. For these reasons, together with the fact that peanuts are bringing good prices, agricultural leaders are urging all farmers to harvest for oil every acre of peanuts possible this year.

They point out that digging and saving every pound of peanuts possible is one of the most patriotic things farmers can do this fall in helping win the war. If the labor shortage is threatening to reduce the peanut harvest, it is suggested that you see your county agent who may be in position to assist in solving this problem. It also is suggested that you see your neighbor who owns peanut harvesting machinery with the view of getting him to assist you in harvesting your crop.

## AAA Program Extended

A. W. Jones, Administrative Officer in Charge, AAA, advised that the 1943 agricultural conservation program for Alabama has been extended from August 31 to December 31. "Consequently," he says, "all practices now approved and shown in the State Handbook that may be established on farms during the remaining part of the year will be approved for payment."

## Lily Flag Tags Every Cotton Bale

**L**ILY FLAG One-Variety Community Cotton Improvement Association of Madison County for several years has kept its production identified through the trade by means of a special tag. This tag shows the name of the variety ginned exclusively by the gin, name and address of the gin. This is another step in cotton improvement program that means a closer check on varieties from the field to the mill.





Join the U. S. Crop Corps to help harvest cotton, peanuts, and sweet potatoes. The above picture shows five high school girls of the Sylacauga High School picking cotton. Left to right they are Betty Jean Chandler, Sue Roberson, Naomi Whitmore, Freddie Nabors, Katie Mae Dixon. The bottom picture shows school children weighing cotton on the farm of W. F. Farmer, Talladega.

Special cotton picking days are being arranged throughout Alabama this year to give business people and school children an opportunity to pick cotton. School terms have been divided so that farm children can help their parents harvest their cotton, peanuts, and potatoes. Many workers are being recruited to help harvest peanuts, especially in Southeast Alabama.

## A Ton-Need On Each Alabama Acre

EVERY Alabama acre of crop and pasture land, except the lime soils of the Black Belt, needs a ton of lime. Some soils need more than a ton per acre.

This is reported by J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, in advising that "more than 6,000,000 tons of lime will need to be applied on Alabama soils to do a real liming job."

The value of nitrogen, phosphoric acid, and potash are well recognized by Alabama farmers because they invest 10 to 15 million dollars annually in them.

Lime is essential to the best growth of most legumes and pasture plants. It can be applied with lime spreaders or broadcast with shovels.

On most soils, lime, if applied at the rate of one ton per acre, will not need to be repeated for several years. The goal in most counties should be "a ton of lime on every acre of crop and pasture land."

## Farm Mortgage Debt Low

INCREASED mortgage payments by farmers have reduced the total farm mortgage debt of the Nation to the lowest in 25 years, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture. At the same time, demands for loans to purchase farms showed a continued decline in the Federal Land Bank system during the first 8 months of 1943, with other farm mortgage lenders noting a similar trend.

## Our 1944 Program

MAJOR essentials in the 1944 farm program are:

1. Increased production . . . need 380 million U. S. acres in crops; this being slightly above the peak year of 377 million acres in 1932; also slightly above 364 million acres planted 1943.

2. No marketing quotas and allotments except on tobacco. Cotton is expressly removed for this year and next.

3. Conservation program for improving soil fertility while increasing production . . . for which Congress appropriated \$300,000,000.00.

4. Prices will be supported about as at present. Under war conditions, therefore, we shall have price support on a reasonable level without production control.

More as to what is wanted . . . 68 million acres of wheat, or a 26 percent increase over this year; many more dry peas, beans, soybeans, peanuts, potatoes, corn, alfalfa, and other feeds.

Washington believes that about a year from now we will feel our first protein shortage. This is why more protein crops are wanted . . . why more legumes should be planted.

The total slaughter of meat the next 12 months is estimated to exceed by 50 percent the average slaughter for 1936-40.

## Lime Essential

NITROGEN, phosphoric acid, and potash are recognized as essential to crop production in Alabama for practically all farms.

Another material, lime, is also quite important. Lime is needed on practically all soils of the State in rotations in which winter legumes are included. Lime is essential to successful pastures on practically all soils other than the lime soils of the Black Belt.

Lime must be used on land where acid-forming fertilizers are used if a reduction in crop yields is to be prevented. Present indications are that in the future a considerable amount of acid-forming nitrogen fertilizers may be used for top- and side-dressing. Should this be done, it is important that enough lime be used on cropland to counteract acidity developed from such materials.

These facts make lime essential to soil improvement through the use of legumes, to successful pasture development, and to the efficient use of fertilizers. Practically all crop and pasture lands in Alabama, except the lime lands of the Black Belt, should receive an application of at least one ton per acre of agricultural limestone.

Be glad you have the right to save, save right, and right now—in War Bonds.

## Harvested Peanut Land Needs Cover

By J. C. LOWERY  
Extension Agronomist

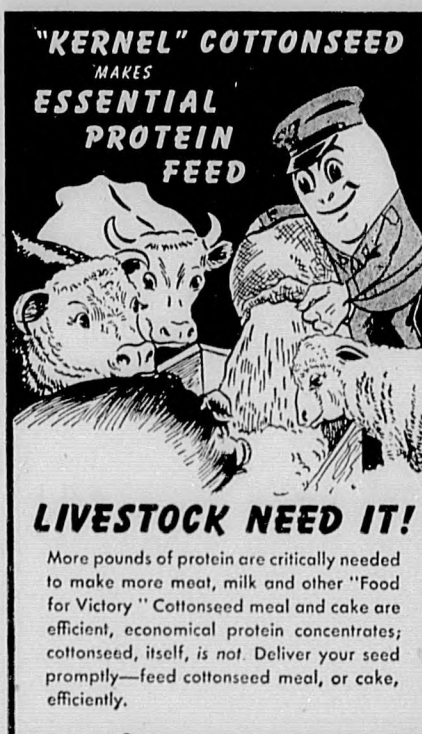
LAND on which peanuts have been harvested should be protected with some type of winter cover, such as winter legumes or small grain. Austrian peas, vetch, and blue lupines are especially suitable crops for this purpose.

The fact that most of the peanut fields are gleaned by hogs presents a problem in seeding these crops. A very satisfactory method of seeding both legumes and small grain is to broadcast the seed just ahead of digging the peanuts providing that the method used in digging the peanuts scatters the soil fairly well over the middles. If the digging implement is one which disturbs the soil very little, the seed should be drilled between the peanut rows.

If the legumes or grain are planted after the peanuts are dug the seed should be drilled in the peanut rows where hogs glean the fields. It is undesirable to broadcast legume or grain seed after the peanuts have been dug because the plowing and disking to cover the seed scatters the peanuts left in the ground which may result in considerable damage to the crop seeded when the hogs glean the field.

The green cover crop, especially oats, is a desirable grazing crop for the hogs while gleaning the fields.

Where peanut fields are not grazed by hogs the legume or grain seed may be planted by the usual method.



It doesn't pay to feed cottonseed to livestock. It does pay to feed cottonseed meal. Ceiling prices of seed have been set at \$56 per ton and meal at \$46 per ton.

## 17 Sweet Potato Facts And What Farmers Can Do About Them

By L. M. WARE  
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Alabama Experiment Station

HERE are a few facts which cover the sweet potato situation and a few thoughts on storage.

1. The government has established a support price for sweet potatoes. The prices at the present are fixed at \$1.15 per bushel from August to December 1, \$1.30 per bushel for December and January, and \$1.45 per bushel after February 1. Potatoes must consist of No. 1's, properly graded and packaged in boxes, crates, or hampers, and delivered in carlot quantities to loading stations. The support price for No. 2's, which consist of 75 percent No. 1's, will be 15 cents per bushel under No. 1's.

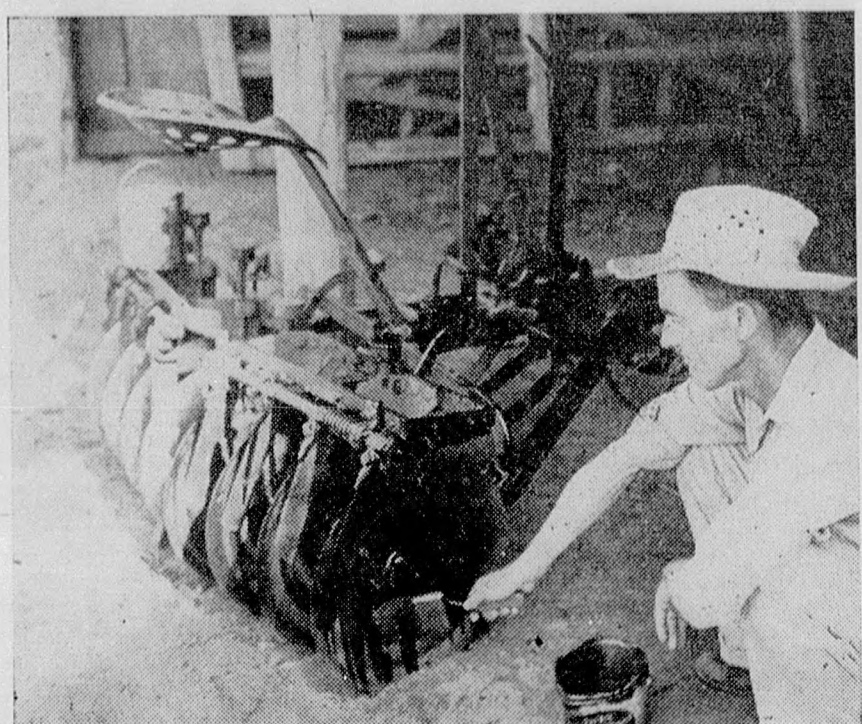
2. The present difference in price between green and stored potatoes is hardly adequate to encourage general storage. There is the likelihood that a greater price spread will be established before fall.

3. Present indications are that unless the price spread is increased most farmers will sell their crops at digging time. This will defeat the purpose of the program, will mean a great overtaxing of handling, inspection, and transportation facilities and will mean increased difficulty of obtaining containers. The potato program promises to be a colossal failure if every farmer tries to sell his potatoes at digging time. Make no mistake on this point.

4. There is every indication that there will be a shortage of containers. Box and crate factories will hardly be able to supply the demand. Growers are urged to make arrangements for boxes early. Recent regulations permit timber owners to use their own lumber to make boxes or crates for their own needs. Local mills might help the situation by saving up material for field or storage boxes.

5. It may be necessary to use sacks. Trouble is ahead for those who have to receive potatoes in sacks unless they are to be consumed within a short time. Every effort should be made to keep to a minimum the potatoes moving to market in sacks. Some probably will necessarily have to move this way. For delivery to nearby army camps, sacks might be satisfactory.

6. Plans should be started now to convert unused buildings and storage houses in each community into sweet potato storage space. Unused buildings and storage houses are usually available in most communities, localities, and small towns. County agents, marketing specialists, and others interested in orderly marketing of the sweet potato crop should locate these buildings and at once make the necessary changes or



John M. Lile, Leighton, Alabama, makes a practice of painting all of his farm machines, tools, and equipment with used motor oil before storing them. Mr. Lile is shown here painting a disk harrow with motor oil.

additions to make them suitable for sweet potato storage.

7. For proper storage of sweet potatoes, a building must provide facilities for both curing and storing the potatoes.

8. Fundamentally, for proper curing of sweet potatoes, a building should be able to provide, for a period of two weeks after digging, a temperature between 80° F. and 85° F., and a relative humidity around 90 percent. This will require artificial heat and proper ventilation.

9. Fundamentally, for proper storage after curing, a building should provide a temperature of approximately 55° F. with a relative humidity of 90 percent. The temperature in a storage building should never drop below 50° F.

10. The most serious error in curing sweet potatoes is to consider the process a "drying out" process. Curing is not a "drying out" process; it is a "curing" process during which time cut surfaces are healing and certain physiological changes are taking place in the potato, making it sweeter and more palatable, and likewise, changes are taking place in the skin, giving it higher protective capacity. The curing process, therefore, is not just a process to remove water from the potato. Only enough ventilation is necessary to prevent condensation of moisture on surfaces and to keep the humidity down to 85 or 90 percent.

11. In the southern part of Alabama satisfactory curing and storage conditions may often be obtained without artificial heat but it is risky. A small amount of heat to be sure that temperatures of 80° F. to 85° F. can be maintained during the curing process, and later to be sure that a drop in temperature below 50° F.

with broken or bruised potatoes.

14. If one has a considerable acreage, harvesting should be started several weeks before the date of the first expected frost. Harvesting should be completed before the first frost. If vines are frosted remove them immediately. Never let sweet potatoes lie out in the field over night if the temperature is expected to reach 40° F.

15. Avoid digging potatoes when the soil is wet. Allow the potatoes a little time to dry off in the field before placing in containers. Place potatoes in the container—never throw them. Cut potatoes heal over; bruised potatoes do not. It is desirable, where practical, to store the potatoes in the same containers used for harvesting.

16. Grading should be done in the field, the 1's being placed in one container, the 2's in another, and the cuts and culls in another.

17. After potatoes are placed in storage they should not be handled again until ready for marketing. For best appearance, potatoes should be brushed before marketing. Very high protection from rotting has been obtained by dipping the potatoes in a borax solution (20 lbs. of borax in 100 gallons of water). The office of the Federal Commission of Food and Drugs, however, has not given its approval of the use of the borax treatment where potatoes are intended for human consumption. (For seed potatoes the borax treatment has been found to be very good.)

If the South handles the sweet potato crop in a good, orderly fashion this year, spreads the period of availability of the crop over a long period, the sweet potato will advance by years as a standard food; if the crop is handled in a confused fashion with high losses due to poor storage or due to the inclination of farmers to sell everything at digging time, then the program cannot help but be a colossal failure and a disappointment to those who have planned it to provide a good food in a national emergency and to the farmers who expected satisfactory returns.

Here are some time-savers when sewing: Keep sewing machine clean and well oiled; arrange equipment conveniently and with good light. In the sewing room have a chair, ironing board, sleeve board, iron, table for cutting, well equipped basket or box with sharp dressmaker's pins, scissors, and hooks for hanging garments under construction.

The wise home manager will plan household activities so that each family member will be responsible for doing definite things.



—Courtesy National Cottonseed Products Association

Both the ceiling and support prices for cottonseed are \$56 per ton in Alabama, announce OPA officials. Ceiling price for cottonseed meal of 41 percent protein is \$46 per ton. This means that farmers should get considerably over a ton of meal in exchange for a ton of seed.



## New Support Price For Cottonseed

IN a move to stimulate greater production of cottonseed oil, meal, and linters needed for war purposes, the War Food Administration, has announced that it has established a minimum support price for cottonseed produced from the 1943 crop at \$56 per ton, f. o. b. shipping point in Alabama.

On the basis of the new support prices, taking into consideration average quality premiums and discounts and an average ginners' margin of not more than \$3 per ton, prices to growers should average approximately \$53 per ton in bale lots at the gin.

The same announcement says that the Commodity Credit Corporation will support prices for bulk cottonseed meal, 41% protein minimum at \$44 per ton in Alabama. Thus, it will be observed that a ton of cottonseed is worth about \$9 more than a ton of cottonseed meal.

## 1943 Cotton Loan Program

THE 1943 average loan rate on 7/8 inch Middling cotton, gross weight, will be 18.41 cents per pound, based upon parity price of 20.46 for August 1, 1943. Last year the average loan rate on 7/8 inch Middling cotton, gross weight, was 17.02 cents per pound.

Premiums and discounts for grade and staple in the 1943 program will be calculated in relation to the loan rate on 15/16 inch Middling cotton. The rate for 15/16 inch Middling cotton will be 85 points (.85 cents per pound) above the basic rate for 7/8 inch Middling cotton. As in previous programs, the loan rate will be based on the net weight of the cotton. The net weight loan rate will be 80 points above that for gross weight to compensate for the lesser number of pounds on which the loan is essential. The average loan rate for 15/16 inch Middling cotton, net weight, will be 20.06 cents

### Some Record

W. O. Crawford, Hamburg, Perry County, Alabama, has ordered 2,300,000 pounds of calcium silicate for use on his farm this year. As far as is known, this is the largest order ever placed for calcium silicate.

### Oats And Vetch

W. P. KILGORE, Parrish, Alabama, Route 2, grew 31 one-horse wagon loads of oats and vetch on 1.1 acres of land. He filled all of his barns with hay, had three stacks outside a barn and gave five loads to neighbors who wanted it.

Mr. Kilgore has made it a practice to grow oats and vetch for the past six years. He used 200 pounds of nitrate of soda as a top dressing.

### per pound. Schedules of premiums and discounts for grade and staple applicable in the 1943 loan program were issued by CCC on January 22, 1943.

The State and county Agricultural Adjustment Agency committees will designate persons to assist producers in preparing and executing loan papers. Bona fide employees of Production Credit Associations chartered by the Farm Credit Administration, banks approved by Commodity Credit Corporation as lending agencies, warehouses approved for the storage of loan cotton, and county Agricultural Adjustment Agency officers will be designated as clerks. In addition, employees of other groups, such as cotton factors, ginners, cotton buyers, or others who have adequate facilities to perform the services required of a clerk, may be approved upon the recommendation of the county committee to the State Agricultural Adjustment Agency committees.

## Red Clover Promising Hog Crop

RED clover has shown some outstanding drouth resistant qualities in five-year tests at the Alabama Experiment Station, announces D. G. Sturkie, agronomist. In 1941 the crop was tried out as a grazing crop for hogs. The results at Auburn were very satisfactory and plantings were made in 1942 at the Gulf Coast and Wiregrass Sub-Stations and at Prattville and Tuskegee Fields with results quite as satisfactory as those obtained in Auburn. While it is still in the experimental stage as a hog grazing crop Dr. Sturkie believes that it has so much promise that farmers should give it a trial, at least on a small scale, as a hog grazing crop. Here are the suggestions on how to grow it.

**How To Grow Red Clover**  
Break the land and add one ton

of lime in July and keep the land fallow until time to plant. About two weeks before planting add 500 pounds of superphosphate and 100 pounds of muriate of potash or 600 pounds of 0-14-10 and disk in. Sow twelve pounds of seed per acre. Inoculate the seed.

**Time to Plant:** Middle and South Alabama, September 20 to October 10. North Alabama, July 15 to September 1.

**How to Plant:** Sow broadcast and cover the seed one-fourth to one-half inch deep or drill the seed in. Run cultipacker or roller over the land after seeding.

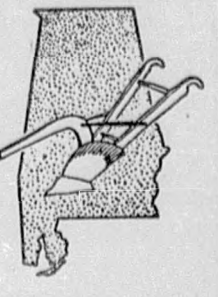
**Varieties:** All of the varieties have grown well at Auburn. Probably the best variety is the Tennessee Strain.

**Stage to Graze:** Begin grazing when the plants are about five inches high. Keep grazed to a height of four or five inches.



*Along the Way*  
with P. O. DAVIS

Farmers Are Doing  
Excellent Wartime  
Farm Job



THIS is a tribute to American farmers based upon their record. During the last ten years their total production was 5.6 percent above the previous ten years.

The last six years were still better. Production these years averaged 12.6 percent above the ten years just before the AAA program began, 1923-32. Yet it is felt that the decade that ended in 1933 was one of the highest in farm production.

Production in 1942 was the highest ever.

Food production last year (1942) was 28 percent above any year prior to 1933. It exceeded 1918 by 42 percent; and 1918 was in the first World War.

Another striking fact is that in 1941 and 1942 the American people ate better than ever before. They consumed 8 percent more food per person than during the boom years of 1928-1929.

The above is more than a tribute to American farmers. It is a marvelous record. Farmers were producing abundantly, while improving their land. Going deeper into it, we see that the agricultural adjustment program to date has been one of balanced abundance rather than scarcity. It will continue to be this because of the necessity of an ample supply of food and fiber at all times.

THIS record convinces me that farmers will produce the increases of proteins, fats, and other farm products requested for 1944. At least they will do their best with what they have.

They know that they will have more equipment than they had this year; and also more fertilizer except potash. They will not have as much help of the kind that they want but they will have more help by older people, younger people, and people not on farms for emergency jobs.

As this statement is being circulated in your local weekly paper farmers are working from daylight to dark in harvesting and planting. More winter legumes and small grain are to be planted for the soil, for grazing, and for feed next spring and summer.

THE peanut harvest is attracting more attention than any other crop. This is because there are more of them. All of them are wanted.

It is not good for the land to dig peanuts but it is now a war necessity. So farmers are urged to dig all they can for war needs. Most of Alabama's peanuts are produced in nine counties—Barbour, Coffee, Covington, Crenshaw, Dale, Geneva, Henry, Houston, and Pike. Harvesting is an emergency job which must be done in two or three weeks. If not, many peanuts will be left in the ground whereas all should be dug and moved into war service.

DURING August I attended meetings of farmers in many counties. En route to and from these meetings I observed crops in many other counties.

Wherever I went I was thrilled with what farmers have done. Their record this year is remarkable. Most crops really look good. Weather was good except local areas—particularly northwest Alabama—where drought was destructive, especially to early corn and hay crops.

These observations convinced me that the 1943 harvest in Alabama will be big. My high appreciation of farmers again overflows for what they have done. And I'm convinced that a bigger job will be done in 1944.

THE sweet potato is truly a wonder crop. This fact was reimpresed upon me at a meeting in Auburn on August 10. Prof. L. M. Ware of the Experiment Station at Auburn displayed—and visitors tasted—a dozen delicious products that he had produced from sweet potatoes.

These reminded me of what has been done by manufacturing wheat into so many delicious and valuable products. Perhaps the sweet potato will do as well.

Sweet potatoes are easily produced in Alabama. Big yields come from average land and good treatment. Manufacturing will be needed; and we need more manufacturing in Alabama. Everything, therefore, seems to combine in favor of producing, eating, feeding more sweet potatoes.

## Wild Drug Plants Are Needed

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bloom. Roots may be dug any time between the last frost in the spring and the first frost in the fall but fall-dug roots are usually heavier than those dug in the spring.

All plants must be bone dry before they are shipped. Leaves, herbs, and flowers must be dried in the shade or indoors and should have a bright color when dry. Roots should be washed free of dirt after they are dug and may be cut or sliced to hasten drying; they may be dried in the shade or in the sun. Leaves, herbs, and flowers are dry when they crumple up in the hand and roots and bark are dry when they break with a snap. Caution: wet or dark, moldy plants are worthless and should not be shipped.

### Plants To Collect

MANY of the plants wanted are common weeds. Consequently, anyone who collects them will be controlling weeds, as well as earning a little money and rendering a patriotic service.

**Jimson weed**—This is a common weed around horse and cow lots on most farms. It is a rank-growing, foul-smelling plant with large leaves, large purplish flowers and prickly seed-pods. Since cattle and horses are sometimes poisoned by eating the leaves and children by eating the green pods, it is a good idea to get rid of it anyway. Bright, dry leaves are quoted in a recent price list at ten cents a pound and dry seeds at eight cents.

**Horse nettle**—This plant is also known as bull nettle, bull briar and tread softly. It is a common weed in gardens and waste places and in some sections of the country is a bad weed in cultivated fields. It has stickers on it and most small bare-foot boys dread it after it has been hoed up and dried. It has flowers that resemble those of the Irish potato and berries that look like small, yellow tomatoes when ripe. Ten cents a pound was offered for the bright, dry, ripe berries and five cents a pound for the roots.

**Jerusalem oak**—Jerusalem oak is a tall, rank-growing plant that has a strong odor. It grows around the edges of gardens and fields and in waste places. It produces an abundance of small seed. The price offered for clean, dry seed was six cents a pound.

**May pop vine**—This vine is too well known to require description. The part of the plant wanted is the vine and leaves without flowers, fruits, or roots. Three and one-half cents a pound was offered for the clean, dry plant.

**Pokeweed**—This is another common weed; it also is known as pokeweed and pokeberry plant. It has a large, fleshy root, large, purplish stem, large, bright green leaves, and clusters of fruits that are almost black when ripe. The young plants are eaten as greens

in some sections of the State and the berries are sometimes used for making wine. Both the berries and the roots are wanted. The berries must be clean and dry and the roots must be white, cut into slices, and bone dry. Four cents a pound was offered for both the berries and the roots.

**Mistletoe**—Mistletoe is well known and much sought after as a Christmas decoration. It is a parasite on trees and its removal is desirable. Six cents a pound was offered for bright, dry leaves.

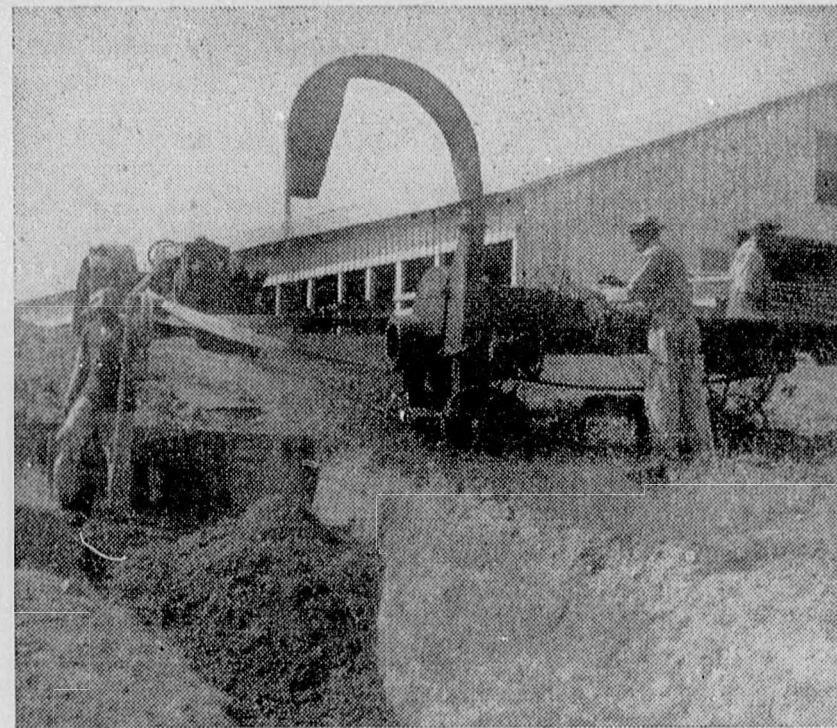
**Pop-gun elder**—Pop-gun elder needs no description and is common in wet places throughout the State. Eight cents a pound was offered for the ripe, clean, dry berries. The flowers also are wanted but they must be of high quality to bring a good price. Twenty-five cents per pound was offered for bright, stripped flowers but only four cents for medium. Dark-colored flowers are not wanted.

**Wild ginger**—Wild ginger grows in woods throughout the State. It also is called heart leaf because its leaves are heart shaped and most boys and girls know it by its flowers which grow on the ground among the fallen leaves of trees and have the appearance of small pitchers. Twenty-eight cents a pound was offered for clean, dry roots without tops.

**Sassafras**—Sassafras is a weedy bush or small tree that is known to every farm boy. Since it is wanted as a drug plant, there may be something to the practice of a generation ago when a "through" of sassafras tea was given each spring. The bark of the root is the part wanted and the quality of the product determines the price paid. Twenty-five cents a pound was offered for the bark cut into large pieces after the corky outer bark was removed; twenty-two cents for bark cut into smaller pieces after removal of the outer cork, and fourteen cents for clean bark without removal of the outer cork.

**Sumac**—Sumac is a common bush along fence rows and woods borders. It has large, divided leaves, and its woody stem has a large pith and brownish, milky sap. It is easily recognized in the fall by its large clusters of red, sour-tasting "seeds." The price for the dried leaves without stems was quoted as two cents a pound.

**Sourwood**—Sourwood is a weed tree that grows in association with both pines and hardwoods. It can be recognized by several characteristics. Its bark resembles that of the persimmon, and the buds on the twigs are hidden. The leaves are large, bright green, finely toothed along the edges, and have a row of prickles along the mid-rib on the lower side. The price offered for the dried leaves was only two cents per pound but large quantities could be harvested.



"Dig-a-silo" has become the slogan of a good many farmers these days who have learned that sweet potato vines make good livestock feed when placed in trench silos. Sometimes farmers challenge each other to "digging duels" to see who can dig a trench silo in the shortest time. Neighbors in some communities have formed "Dig-a-silo" clubs to swap work with each other.

Of course, farmers usually need help not only to make their silos but to fill them. In some places "Fill-a-silo" clubs succeed "Dig-a-silo" clubs. Both are generally made up of farmers who share labor with each other, and may also include some business men, high school boys, and even able-bodied bankers, lawyers, and preachers.

## My Family . . . And Yours

Seeing The Best—A Family Habit

By ELTA MAJORS  
Family Life and Child Care Specialist

WHEN looking at a picture we instinctively place it so that we may see it in its most favorable light. Sometimes we forget to do this with human beings, yet we mean to be more considerate of people than we are of pictures.

Someone may say, "With people we must be realistic." We are just as realistic, more constructive and much kinder when we look for the best in people.

What has this to do with being better mothers in training boys and girls, and making family life better in wartime?

**First:** It should give mothers consolation to remember that every mother makes mistakes no matter how hard she tries to do the best possible job. Mothers should be happy in doing their

best and seeing the best in other mothers. In this way they will find it easier to be charitable in their criticisms.

**Second:** What about the boys and girls in the family? Believe in the underlying good intent of them, see the best, give them the benefit of the doubt and not be too hasty in arriving at conclusions. When too hasty we often shut out an explanation that would put a different light on the whole picture. If parents are inclined to believe the worst, without attempting to understand, the child may think, "What's the use?"

In seeing the best in them we are not unconscious of the help they need in overcoming mistakes. Just as it is easier for adults to do their best when someone believes in them so it is for boys and girls.

**Third:** The whole family will find it easier to take the strain of wartime if at home they know family members are seeking to find the best in each other. In such a home there will be a wholesome attitude toward life, a genuine respect for others and a real abiding faith in the ultimate goodness of things. Life in wartime or peace will be easier, more satisfying for such a family.

Give your family as much consideration as you would a picture. See each member in his or her most favorable light.

### Buyers

THERE are a number of wholesale dealers in native drug plants. A list of such firms can be obtained by writing to the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. Anyone interested in collecting drug plants should obtain such a list and write to several of the companies for price lists. The S. B. Pennick Company of 50 Church Street, New York City, is the buyer that contacted Director Davis and the prices mentioned in this article were taken from their recent price list.



## Four Ways To Provide Vegetables Throughout Year

EVERY Alabama farmer has at his command four methods by which he can provide throughout the year a variety of vegetables for table use. Vegetables may be available fresh from the garden, canned, stored as fresh vegetables, or stored as dried vegetables.

Dr. C. L. Isbell, of the Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station, says that every effort should be made to provide fresh vegetables from the garden over as long a period of time as possible, and that the surplus should be canned, stored as such, or dried and stored.

On the storage of fresh vegetables, Dr. Isbell says, in part:

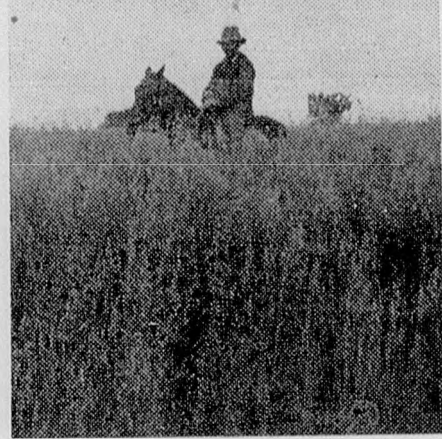
Except in the northern part of the State where the winters are relatively cold, beets and carrots cannot be kept in common storage for more than about four to six weeks because of excessive shriveling if stored in a dry place or because of decay if stored in a relatively moist place. Usually, tops should be carefully removed preparatory to common storage for these vegetables.

There are several inexpensive wax emulsions in which beets and carrots can be immersed before storage and the rate of shriveling will be materially reduced.

Carrots may usually be available fresh from the garden the year around. In North Alabama, and often as far south as Middle Alabama, fall-planted carrots should be covered with soil or straw during the coldest weather to avoid freezing at night and thawing during the day. Fall-grown carrots may be kept in good condition for 10 to 15 weeks by handling them as follows:

Carefully harvest with leaves attached after cool weather arrives and before hard freezes occur; store one layer deep on a thin layer of pine straw or leaves spread out on the surface of the ground under the branches of a tree. Cover the entire roots, but not the leaves, with enough pine straw or dry leaves to protect them from the sun and prevent shriveling. The leaves of the carrots so stored gradually die over a period of several weeks but just about the time all of them are dead, new ones appear. The stored roots remain plump, crisp, and appear to make little change in quality over the winter, but as spring approaches feed roots begin to develop and the quality of the stored carrots becomes unsatisfactory.

Cabbage, Chinese cabbage, and collards may be stored upright in trenches or in pits with roots attached. The roots should be covered with soil and tops covered



Oats on badly eroded Sumter clay on the farm of Joy J. Crawford, Marion, Alabama. The oats were phosphated at the rate of 575 pounds per acre when planted and were top dressed with 100 pounds of nitrate of soda this spring.—SCS photo.

with straw, hay, shucks, fodder, or a light cover of earth during hard freezes. Cover over tops should be removed to provide light and ventilation except during the very coldest weather.

Green peppers harvested when full grown and stored on shelves usually remain sound for about a month during which time they gradually develop the ripe color. If peppers are exposed to hot sun for even a few hours after harvest and before storage they spoil quickly when stored.

Winter varieties of squashes and pumpkins for storage should be harvested with about two inches of stem left on them. If stems are fleshy and club shaped rather than angular and hard, insects may be present in them. If so, they should be removed with a knife and the stem treated with Bordeaux paste. Squashes and pumpkins store well in cool, dry places where they will not freeze.

Green tomatoes may be harvested in late fall by picking the fruit or by pulling up the plants with the fruit attached, and if stored in a cool place protected from freezing will gradually ripen and supply fresh tomatoes until about the first of February the following year.

Rutabagas, turnips, and kohlrabi, if harvested while firm and otherwise in good condition, may be kept over winter in common storage in either cellars, hills, or trenches, or under straw with just enough cover to prevent hard freezing. It is especially necessary that these crops have much ventilation while in storage. During warm, wet winters it may be necessary to take them from storage, remove new top and root growth, and place them back in storage. Turnips and rutabagas may be stored in relatively dry places for several weeks. Under such conditions much shriveling takes place but when cooked the product is usually satisfactory.

### With Alabama Farmers

**Tall Oat Yield:** J. D. Hyde of Conecuh County harvested 40 acres of Quincy No. 1 oats this spring which yielded 60 bushels per acre.

**Caley Peas:** Orders have been placed by Macon County farmers for 11,500 pounds of Caley peas to be planted this fall. This amount will be sufficient to plant approximately 290 acres.

**Seed Saved:** Macon County farmers harvested approximately 25,000 pounds of blue lupine seed during the past season. Of this amount, approximately 10,000 pounds will be placed on the market.

**Good Grazing:** H. L. Alsbrook, farmer of Chambers County, says that nine acres of crimson clover on his farm gave 455 days of grazing per acre. Yearlings on the crop made from 50 to 100 pounds gain each. In addition to the crimson clover these calves received a very small ration of hay.

**Cheap Nitrogen:** John E. Sharpe, Extension-TVA demonstration farmer of Chambers County, estimates that he has added over \$2,000 worth of nitrogen to his soil by growing legumes. This nitrogen more than doubled the yield of row crops.

**Saves Vetch:** J. C. White, Priceville, Morgan County, saved 2100 pounds of hairy vetch seed from six acres of land this spring. This was an average yield of 350 pounds of seed per acre.

**Good Crop Prospects:** Cullman County farmers report excellent crop prospects.

Isom Akins, who cultivates a UTD farm in the Fairview Community, has a six-acre field of corn from which he expects a yield of 80 bushels of corn per acre.

Taylor Mitchell of the Baileytown Community has a field of corn following crimson clover on which he expects to harvest approximately 75 bushels of corn per acre.

Ed Ashwander of Steppville, Route 1, has a four-acre field of cotton, Stoneville 2B variety, from which he is expecting a yield of 900 pounds of lint cotton per acre.

W. C. Pruett of the North-East Fairview Community has a five-acre field of corn following vetch on which he expects to produce 75 bushels of corn per acre.

Dee Robertson of Cullman had six acres of wheat on which he produced 180 bushels, an average of 30 bushels per acre.

H. A. Farmer, Bangor Community, has approximately 500 stands of bees located in several different sections of Blount and Cullman Counties and is breeding queens for shipment to the Northern States and Canada. The bee business is so good he states that he was unable to fill the orders as fast as he received them this year.



An excellent growth of oats on the farm of V. C. Elgin, R. F. D., Montgomery, Alabama.—SCS photo.

The War Food Administration has announced that the use of chemical nitrogen will be permitted on 1943 fall-sown grains for harvest. It is estimated that the quantity of chemical nitrogen that will be available to agriculture during the year beginning July 1, 1943, will be 15 percent higher than the record amount used by farmers in 1941.

### Produce, Save, Share

HERE are reasons why farmers should produce, save and share foods:

1. Food doesn't just happen; it has to be produced by work and planning and conserved by genius and care.
2. Our allies actually do depend in large measure on the food supply from which we eat so freely.
3. Our armed forces must plan with a margin of safety and for rapid replacement of supplies sunk at sea.
4. The civilian supply of food will be large enough for health and strength for all, but not for waste.
5. Rationing of some foods is necessary. Without it there would certainly be less fairness.
6. Never during this war can the consumer or producer settle down to assurance that all the food producing and food using habits can stay the same from here on out.



OF THE HUNDREDS OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS IN THE WORLD THE CATTLE ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT. THEY ARE THE SOURCE OF MEAT, MILK, AND LEATHER. THEY ARE ALSO THE SOURCE OF MANURE, WHICH IS USED AS FERTILIZER. THE CATTLE ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT OF ALL DOMESTIC ANIMALS.

—Courtesy Swift and Company.

## The Wise Will Grow Legume Seed

By W. W. COTNEY  
Assistant Extension Agronomist

AS usual, Alabama farmers are faced with a shortage of several varieties of winter legume seed this year. Present indications are that there will be a shortage of planting seed of hairy vetch, smooth vetch, Willamette vetch, monantha vetch, caley peas, blue lupine, white Dutch clover and burr clover. Adequate supplies of planting seed of Australian winter peas, crimson clover, and common vetch are indicated.

The practical solution to this almost annual problem of winter legume seed shortages appears to be in an expanded seed production program in Alabama. The winter legume seed supply that will be available a year from now will depend largely on plans made by the farmers for seeding winter legumes this fall to be harvested for seed next spring.

Present indications are that the volume of hairy vetch produced on the West Coast will continue to decline over the next few years. Their production of Australian winter peas and smooth vetch may continue to furnish adequate supplies of these two varieties. A survey of 224 farms in the Willamette Valley in Oregon shows that they produce an average yield of only 290 pounds of hairy vetch per acre. Yields in vetch seed producing areas in Alabama have exceeded the Oregon yields in many instances.

Many Alabama farmers are finding the commercial production of winter legume seed a profitable cash crop. Hairy vetch, smooth vetch, monantha vetch and crimson clover are being produced successfully and profitably in the northern half of the State. Caley pea seed production is becoming an important source of cash income with many Black Belt farmers. Likewise, the production of blue lupine seed is becoming an important cash enterprise with many South Alabama farmers.

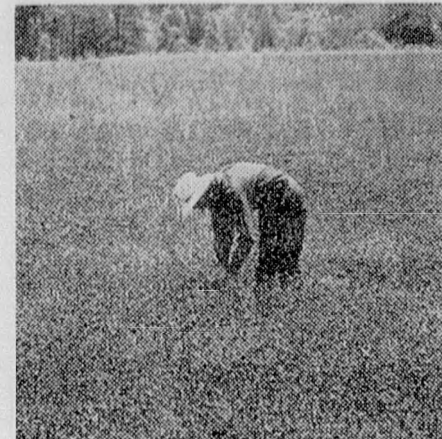
All of the vetch varieties for seed that are to be combined should be seeded in cotton so that the cotton stalks will support the vetch. Do not cut the cotton stalks. Farmers who do not have combines available but who are producing seed for their own use and a few for sale usually seed on relatively clean land so that mowers and rakes may be used. Monantha vetch does not have to be cut, but is usually raked up with a hay rake and threshed or beat out. It is necessary usually to mow hairy, smooth and Willamette vetch before raking.

Caley peas may be combined direct, mowed and windrowed or stacked and then threshed. Blue lupines are usually combined direct, or on small patches the plants may be pulled up and threshed or beat out when dry.

In planning for the winter legume crop to be seeded this fall each farmer should plan to produce at least enough seeds for his home needs for next year. All above home needs that can be

profitably produced for sale should be grown. Other farmers will need them next year.

Planting winter legumes to turn under for corn, to provide winter and spring grazing, and to produce adequate supplies of seed for next year will contribute materially to the war effort.



A field of excellent crimson clover. This year a large amount of clover seed was saved in Alabama, especially in North Alabama. Recently a solid carload of crimson clover seed was shipped from Athens, Alabama, to Arkansas for planting next year.—SCS photo.

## Timber Harvesting Gets Deferment

A recent order by Secretary of Agriculture Wickard emphasizes the fact that farmers who get out forest products are helping the war effort in a much-needed way. Harvesting of products from farm woods has been assigned definite war unit ratings along with other farm crops as a basis for draft deferment. Any of the following constitutes one war unit:

- (1) 10,000 board feet of logs delivered to local mill (include piling).
- (2) 5,000 board feet of logs sawed in small mill (on farm or nearby).
- (3) 200 hewn railroad ties.
- (4) 500 fence posts.
- (5) 15 cords of pulpwood, fuel wood, bolts for handles, excelsior, etc.
- (6) Naval stores—200 fuses.



DON'T PAY MORE THAN LEGAL PRICES



Seed patches of winter legumes are proving popular with farmers throughout Alabama. Agricultural leaders at Auburn are advising farmers to produce and save all of their planting seed possible.—SCS photo.

## 4-H Club Activities

**Numerous Projects:** Calvin Winters, Butler County, is growing 30 hogs as one of his 4-H Club projects. In addition he has a flock of 14 laying hens, 1/4-acre Victory garden, and one Jersey calf. He is also a Victrola in his community.

**Fire Prevention:** Dale County 4-H club members did an excellent job in the county fire-prevention contest held in the early summer. Twenty-one members entered the contest and contacted 697 persons representing 156,017 acres.

Annie Mae Martin won first prize, \$5.00 in war stamps; Ross Johns, second prize, \$4.00 in war stamps; Evelyn Hughes, third, \$3.00 in war stamps; Bill Farmer, fourth place, \$2.00 in war stamps; and Mae Wilson, fifth place, \$1.00 in war stamps.

**Future Planning:** Two club boys of Houston County, Clyde Gilmore and Bill Joe Bond, are planning for the future while producing food for the present emergency. They have planted 5 acres in slash pine for future timber.

**Family Affair:** Seven 4-H Club members belonging to the same club is the record of the Burroughs family of Greene County. Fourteen certificates have been presented to these clubsters for completion of club projects.

**Broiler Production:** To date this year, 27,729 broilers, weighing 49,228.5 pounds, have been sold by Tallapoosa County 4-H Club boys and girls, according to H. K. Welch, Jr., assistant county agent.

**Better Breeding:** In an effort to improve the breeding of hogs in Geneva County, 20 business men and firms in the county are buying purebred pigs and dis-

## Pet Feed Reduced

TO divert as much animal and vegetable protein as possible into production of vitally-needed livestock and poultry feeds, the War Food Administration has renewed its limitations on pet food manufacture. The limitations are designed to provide a minimum maintenance diet for household animals, and continue restrictions on the use of protein supplied in pet foods.

Total war means hard work and sacrifice on the part of every loyal American citizen. It is vital that peace of mind and poise be maintained while striving through this period of danger to make homes safe, secure, and happy and to bring an early victory. Don't let haphazard spending add to your worries.

tributing them among 4-H club members.

**Rural Life Sunday Observed:** Eleven 4-H clubs in Coosa County observed National Rural Life Sunday recently in churches of that county. Talks were given by club members and the churches were decorated with flowers representing the club colors.

**Poultry Winner:** Fred Patterson, president of the Section 4-H Club, Jackson County, was awarded first prize of 100 baby chicks in the recent county-wide poultry contest sponsored by the Jackson County hatchery. A total of 47 projects were entered in the contest.

**Chicken Growers:** W. A. Faust, farmer of the Rosa Community, Blount County, is using home-made electric brooders in brooding 1,200 baby chicks from which he expects to use the pullets for a laying flock. Mr. Faust separated the cockerels from the pullets as soon as they could be detected and put the cockerels on broiler mash for marketing.

Jim Faust, another Blount Countyman, has produced 1,700 chicks. He saved the pullets and marketed the cockerels as broilers.

**Producing Purebred Cattle:** In 1940 Claude Stillman purchased approximately 5,700 acres of land in Marengo and Hale Counties and invested \$40,000 in high grade bred Hereford heifers and registered purebred bulls.

In 1941 he sold \$20,000 worth of beef cattle, in 1942, \$33,000 worth, and on the 17th of May, this year, he sold 503 head of culled cows, calves, steers, and heifers which brought him \$43,000. Later he will sell an additional \$15,000 worth of cattle and still have on his farm 1,000 head of the best cattle that can be found in Alabama.



## Give Them Rest Before Freshening

By F. W. BURNS  
Extension Dairyman

AVOID the usual slump in milk production this summer. It is caused by a lack of feed when pastures begin to dry up. Temporary grazing crops such as Sudan grass or kudzu will help prevent a decline in milk production at this season. Additional grain at this season is also recommended if temporary pasture is not available.

FALL freshening cows should be given a rest period of 6 weeks before lactation periods. During the period the dairy cow is dry it will pay to feed sufficient grain to get her in good condition if the pasture is short. Cows that are in good condition at calving time will produce more milk during that lactation period than those that are allowed to freshen while thin.

REMEMBER that there is an increasing demand for high

protein meals. Do not feed over 12% protein in the grain mixture to dairy cows on good permanent or temporary pastures. By saving protein this summer we will have more to use this winter when it will be badly needed.

ONE acre of temporary grazing crops such as crimson clover, oats or rye should be planted for each milk cow in Alabama this fall. Temporary grazing crops will do much to replace grain and hay this coming winter. Green feed is also valuable in increasing the vitamin A content of dairy products.

MILK and its products comprise over 25% of the 1700 lbs. of principal foods consumed each year by the average American. It is our duty to see that every dairy cow produces to the limit of her capacity during the coming winter to help meet our increased needs for dairy products.

## The State Of Your Health

How Prevent Pellagra

PELLAGRA, a particularly serious health problem in the rural South, was believed for a considerable time to be communicated from the sick to the well like the usual "catching" diseases. However, it is now recognized to be entirely non-contagious. Improper diet, and that alone, appears to be solely responsible for it. If the food you eat contains the essential vitamins in sufficient amounts, you need have no fear of contracting it, no matter how closely you may associate with its victims. If your diet is lacking in these all-important vitamins, you are a potential victim, even if you never see a pellagriner from one year's end to another.

The pellagra-preventing vitamins are rather widely distributed in foods. Those especially rich in them are milk, liver, eggs, green and yellow vegetables, and shelled lima beans (both green and dried), green and dried soy beans (shelled), beet tops, broccoli, cheddar cheese, cottage cheese, chicken meat, codfish, collards, dried cowpeas, kale, mustard greens, peanuts, pecans, dried prunes, sardines, spinach and turnip greens. It will be noted that most of these products are readily available to Victory gardeners and those who keep cows. Until a comparatively short time ago, pure yeast was relied upon almost to the exclusion of everything else in the treatment of pellagra. This was usually administered at the rate of one-half ounce per patient per day over periods varying from six to ten weeks. More recently, however, gratifying success has followed the administration of nicotinic acid, formerly known as nicotinic acid. This was first used in the treatment of the familiar black tongue in dogs, which was found

to be merely a canine form of pellagra. Treatment by this new method is simple and easy, and a complete cure is practically certain. Much experimental work in this field has been done in Birmingham by Dr. Tom Spies, using Alabama pellagrins.

## Helpful Farm Facts

AT present there is no ceiling price on hatching eggs. This may be a good way to market high quality eggs.

There is no truth in rumors that the government has fixed regulations so that ginners and oil mills cannot trade cottonseed meal for cottonseed. They can trade if they want to.

The Alabama Experiment Station has found that farmers can produce eggs at a feed cost of 5 to 6 cents per dozen by feeding hens all the grain they want, giving them about 3 pounds of mash per 100 birds per day and grazing them on good clover.

Many Alabama livestock producers are successfully treating pink eye with sulfanilamide.

It is believed that a good way to reduce or entirely prevent hog cholera is to keep hogs on green grazing crops.

A good way to improve poultry flocks next year is to make arrangements for obtaining good R. O. P. males this winter. Indications are that they will be scarce and hard to obtain after New Year's day.



These are the officers of the Alabama Council of Home Demonstration Clubs for 1943-44. Shown in the picture left to right are: Mrs. J. P. Walton, treasurer, Pickard; Mrs. Frank Baker, secretary, Montevallo; Mrs. C. E. Hovon, reporter, Falkville; Mrs. James McInnis, parliamentarian, Rt. 4, Montgomery; Mrs. Griel McPherson, director, District III, Haynesville; Mrs. R. E. Robertson, president, McPherson, director, District III, Haynesville; Mrs. John Taylor, Foster; Mrs. W. H. Hinchaw, director, District I, Huntsville; Mrs. John Taylor, Foster; Mrs. H. N. Murdock, director, District II, Coffee Springs; Mrs. J. W. Boyd, first vice-president and reaching more people, Livingston; and Mrs. L. W. Walters, farm bureau, Red Level.

Others not shown in this picture are: Mrs. Ben Shelton, 2nd vice-president, Flat Rock; Mrs. A. L. Lasseter, live-at-home, Rt. 2, Centre; and Mrs. Jeff Traylor, director, District IV, Woodland.

## Women At Work

Hoofs and Hide—"I believe we would have found some kind of way for canning the hoofs and hide of the animal if I had kept them." That's what Mrs. John Wilson, Covington County home demonstration club woman, said when she viewed the variety of products canned from one beef.

Cakes Make Money—"Each Saturday I sell around 40 pounds of homemade pound cake on the Valley Curb Market, Chambers County. The money from the sale of the cakes comes in mighty handy to make needed improvements in my home."—Mrs. Cal Sharpe.

Pullets Paid the Price.—Mrs. John Cogger's 488 laying pullets, together with the labor of Mr. Cogger and son, helped the Cogger family remodel a three-room house into a modern five-room house with two good-sized porches. The pullets paid for all the material bought to build the house, paint for the outside, and paper for the interior. The total cost was \$362.30. "As my chickens make me a profit I plan to continue my home improvement project," states Mrs. Cogger.

No Hunger If Food Is Saved.—There shall be no hungry farm families in Covington County this winter, say home demonstration club women. Each club member

has pledged to fill her own food budget and assist at least one other person who is not a club member to put up enough food for her family.

Mrs. Claude Goolsby and Mrs. Tom Morrison of the Damascus Club and Mrs. Jeff Fendley of the Louisa Club, in addition to their own food preservation work, assisted Negro families in their communities with canning fruits and vegetables.

A Paying-Off Hobby.—Mrs. Robert Horne, Baker Hill, Barbour County, has a hobby that pays off. Mrs. Horne upholsters and refinishes furniture during spare time. Since last December she has made \$184.50 working at her hobby. She also weaves bottoms in chairs. She has 6 children at home, yet she does her housework, cares for the children, and carries on with her hobby.

More Foods Through Variety.—Winston County farm women are not worrying about a change of food—they are adding variety by growing new vegetables in their gardens. Ida Meigs, of Sardis, is growing vegetable spaghetti. "I sometimes cook it as a vegetable or I add sugar and flavoring and make it into pies," she says.

Mrs. A. B. Burdick, of Double Springs, is growing gherkins; her vines are fine and are bearing good fruit.

Mrs. Henry Rose is growing African squash in her garden, and she has talked so favorably about this product that many of her club members have asked her to save seed.

A large number of home demonstration club members are growing edible soybeans this year and are pleased with the results.



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## THE ELBA CLIPPER

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## GIFT SUBSCRIPTIONS CAN BE SENT OVERSEAS

Parents and friends of Army personnel now serving overseas can send The Elba Clipper as a Christmas gift with a request letter, according to a Postal Department ruling just released. These subscriptions can be accepted for a period of one month—September 15 to October 15, 1943.

Since January 15 it has been necessary that the publisher have a written request from the soldier, but the department has relaxed this ruling and now anyone who desires may pay for and send the paper to a relative or friend. Remember this special gift subscription offer will be good only until October 15.

## COFFEE BOY KILLED IN SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

Pvt. Edward E. Hysmith, son of Thad Hysmith, Route 1, Jack, has been reported killed in action on the fighting front in the Southwest Pacific area, according to an announcement made by the War Department Monday.

## HUGE WAREHOUSE IS NEARING COMPLETION

The mammoth warehouse which Mr. Flournoy Whitman is erecting west of Elba, is rapidly nearing completion. The building is 80x112 feet and 40 feet high, which makes it the largest single structure in Elba. It will have a capacity of 2,000 tons of peanuts. According to a statement by Mr. Whitman, the new warehouse will be furnished with the most modern equipment and will be ready to take care of the huge peanut crop about to be harvested.

Miss Olive Ray Kendrick has returned to Ludlow College, Marion, to resume her studies.

## EACH F. F. A. CHAPTER TO PURCHASE A JEEP

The vocational agriculture teachers of Coffee County, E. P. Gieger, of Elba; B. P. Dilworth, of Enterprise; B. A. Johnson, of New Brockton; and B. R. Krudop, of Kinston, held their regular monthly meeting in New Brockton at the vocational building Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 7.

It was decided that each F. F. A. chapter will launch a campaign to buy enough war bonds to buy a jeep. More definite plans will be made in the near future.

The fertilizer situation was discussed with regard to Coffee County, and farmers will be urged to put in their applications to fertilizer distributors as early as possible because of wartime conditions.

A county publicity program for the next four months was outlined, with B. P. Dilworth in charge during September, B. R. Krudop in October, E. P. Gieger in November and B. A. Johnson in December.

## LAND IN AFRICA

Relatives here received messages and letters Monday stating that many Elbians were among a group that had landed safely in North Africa. Most of these officers and men were members of old Battery D, who have been transferred to other organizations and for several months have been training in Oklahoma.

S-Sgt. James T. Meacham has been spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Meacham, and other relatives. He has been stationed in Tennessee for the past year, but left Sunday for a new assignment at Camp Phillips, Kansas.

The many friends of Mrs. G. M. Prescott will regret to learn that she is at her home in West Elba and hope that she will soon recover.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTE HELD HERE SATURDAY

The institute for teachers in the white schools of Coffee County was held in Elba High School auditorium last Saturday, with County Superintendent A. C. Dunaway presiding. Taking part in the program were: Frederick Archer, professor of education at Auburn; Dr. C. B. Smith, president S. T. C. Troy; Major Lipscomb, Camp Rucker; Dr. Garland Weidner, county health officer; J. C. Dixon, superintendent of Elba schools; J. F. Brunson, president Elba Exchange Bank; Rev. C. B. Liddell, of New Brockton, gave the devotion.

Schools throughout the county opened Monday morning, but at this writing enrollment figures are not available.

## CHRISTMAS PACKAGES MAY BE MAILED NOW

The Postoffice Department has announced that Christmas packages for men overseas will be accepted for mailing during the period September 15 to October 15. They must be mailed by the latter date in order to insure delivery by Christmas, and the earlier mailed the better.

Your postmaster will be glad to give you full details as to size and contents of packages to be mailed, and other mailing instructions. If you intend mailing a Christmas package overseas, do so at once.

Friends of Mr. I. N. Heath of Elba, sympathize with him in the loss of his brother, Mr. C. M. Heath, who died at his home in Enterprise last week. The deceased was one of Coffee's oldest and most highly esteemed citizens and was well known throughout the county. Friends were grieved to learn of his passing.

Special emphasis was placed on the fact that the OPA regulations which established maximum prices for such used vehicles as trucks, buses and cars, applied to individual sellers as well as dealers.

## NOTICE, MASONS

Members of Elba Masonic Lodge recently voted to have two meetings each month. Regular meeting on the first Saturday, and another meeting on the third Friday night.

J. W. Kendrick, clerk, reminds members that the extra meeting for this month will be on tomorrow night (Friday) and urges members to be present for transaction of business.

## GETS COMMISSION AS TECHNICAL INSTRUCTOR

Cpl. Andrew J. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Walker, of Cherry Lake, Fla., former residents of Elba, received his diploma in technical work through the training facilities at Keesler Field, Miss., on the 8th day of July and is now a Commissioned instructor. He has been transferred to San Diego, Calif., for advanced training in navigation. His friends in Coffee County will be glad to learn of his advancement in service.

Mrs. J. W. Kendrick and Mrs. Baxter Bryan were visitors to Montgomery Monday. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Will Kendrick who entered Huntington College, and Bobby Bryan who returned to Anniston.

## VETERAN OF NAVY ON VISIT TO RELATIVES

Boatswain Lee Roy Kelley, of the U. S. Navy, veteran of many Southwest Pacific encounters, is spending a few days with relatives near Elba. He was on board U. S. S. Aaron Ward which was sunk at Guadalcanal on April 7 this year, during a Jap air raid in which 98 planes took part. The destroyer made history for itself during the Solomon Island and other Southwest Pacific battles in her thirteen months of service.

The Aaron Ward engaged the Jap fleet many times before she was lost. During the Guadalcanal battle in November last year she was credited with sinking a Jap cruiser and destroyer and damage to a battleship. She also sank many submarines and shot down several planes.

Bos'n Kelley was awarded several decorations and citations, one being from the President. He was very fortunate during these encounters, having received no wounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley have been spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rushing. He was enroute to the East Coast for new assignment.

## AUTO SALES REQUIRE TRANSFER CERTIFICATE

Mr. J. A. Wilkes, Chairman of the War Price and Rationing Board in New Brockton, calls attention to the fact that after September 15 all sellers of used commercial motor vehicles will be required to file a certificate of transfer with the local board.

Mr. Wilkes stated that the requirement was necessary in order to eliminate certain black market operations which have been taking place in defiance of present OPA price ceilings on used trucks and other used motor vehicles. He stated that forms and information relative to this certificate of transfer would be available at the local board by Sept. 15 and warned that enforcement action would be necessary in case certificates are not filed.

Special emphasis was placed on the fact that the OPA regulations which established maximum prices for such used vehicles as trucks, buses and cars, applied to individual sellers as well as dealers.

## WANTED—five or six issues of The Elba Clipper

Wanted—five or six issues of The Elba Clipper, No. 37, issued September 4th, 1943, effective September 5th, 1943.

J. A. Wilkes, Chief Clerk.

FOR SALE—Wiring, box and all connections for electric stove and folding bed that makes into double bed. Mrs. Robert Folsom, Elba.

LOST—Wednesday night on streets or picture show, man's wallet containing about \$3; Tuesday morning between my home and Engle's store small red coin purse containing \$6. Reward for return to Mary Oswell Dowling.

FOR SALE—one 1938 Plymouth Sedan—a good car; one 1930 Model A Ford Coach; one 1929 Chevrolet Cut-down; can be seen at Blackmon's Place, Enterprise Highway.

LOST—Large white and brown spotted dog; been gone since July 7; will pay \$15 reward for return to G. W. Leddon, Rt. 5, Elba, Ala.

FOUND—Monday night on Enterprise highway: one large truck wheel; tire and tube. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for adv. Blackmon's Place, Enterprise Highway.

PERMANENT WAVE 59c.—Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Klt. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands, including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. Whitman, Doug.

COFFEE COUNTY BUYS \$20,000.00 WAR BONDS

Coffee County Commissioners in session here Monday authorized the purchase of \$20,000.00 worth of war bonds. Funds for the purchase will be taken out of the accumulated gasoline funds. The amount will be divided equally between war loan committees of the Elba and Enterprise divisions.

Judge Brock and members of the court are to be congratulated on the wise management of affairs which enables them to have surplus money which can be used to help our government in this time of need.

## RED CROSS ROOMS TO BE MOVED DOWNTOWN

Under sponsorship of Elba Lions Club the Red Cross surgical dressing and production room will be moved to the store building next to Vaughan Furniture Company, from the Armory. Elba Chapter is far behind in its production of surgical dressings and those in charge feel that with the rooms located downtown where volunteers can easily reach them, production can be stepped up. It was stated that the rooms will be open at the new location on Monday. In order to secure funds to pay rent on the new room a committee of Lions will call on citizens of Elba Friday for voluntary contributions. More details of the program will be given next week.

## ELBA HIGH SCHOOL WILL PLAY FOOTBALL

Elba High School, in spite of wartime handicaps, will have a football team this year. Coach Bynum is working industriously with the approximately 25 boys who have come out for practice and hopes to have a team that will make a creditable showing.

The schedule opens with Laverne playing here Friday night, Sept. 24. Following is the season's schedule: Sept. 24—Laverne here, Oct. 1—Brewton (pending) here, Oct. 8—Laverne there, Oct. 15—Enterprise there, Oct. 22—Troy here, Oct. 29—Brantley here, Nov. 5—Enterprise here, Nov. 12—Hartford here.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Ringsdorf were called to Lafayette last Thursday on account of the death of Mrs. Ringsdorf's aunt, Mrs. Hollingsworth, who died suddenly Wednesday. Mrs. Hollingsworth visited often in Elba and many friends were grieved to learn of her death and extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

On the last day meeting a picnic lunch was served and a surprise show was announced last week the appreciation of the splendid services rendered.—Contrib.

## NOTICE, MERCHANTS

Amendment to General Ration Order 5 is being issued requiring institutional users to report their inventories of dried prunes and raisins in pounds at close of business on September 4th, 1943, when applying for allotments for the November-December period. Action taken in Amendment No. 37, issued September 4th, 1943, effective September 5th, 1943.

J. A. Wilkes, Chief Clerk.

Mr. W. J. Bullard was in Montgomery Tuesday where he received instructions in regard to his duties as a newly appointed member of the Coffee County Board of Equalization.

Daniel Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bryan, of Pine Level community, who was recently wounded in action overseas, writes relatives that he suffered a bullet wound in his shoulder, but is getting along nicely. His letter will be published in a later issue.

Joe Morrow Prescott returned to Key West, Fla., last week to resume his naval duties after visiting his mother, Mrs. Viola Prescott, and other relatives.

## ELBA EXCHANGE BANK

J. F. BRUNSON, Pres. E. G. BRAGG, Vice-Pres.  
LUNA DELLE RINGO, Assistant Cashier

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Brighten up the inside of your car with a set of new Seat Covers. They are more comfortable in this warm weather, and also protect your upholstery. We can fit all makes and models.

LOOK AFTER YOUR TIRES—We are official tire inspectors. Look after this important matter regularly. "A" book holders must have inspection every six months; "B" every four months; "C" every three months; Truck every two months or over 5,000 miles.

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